

RAILROADS READY WITH \$16,000,000 TO REORGANIZE
TERMINALS; EXCHANGE USES OF EADS AND FREE BRIDGESFRENCH TO
DISARM THE
POLICE FORCE
IN RUHR AREA

Order Affecting 10,000 of 'Security' Force Result of Attitude Toward Soldiers; German Industrialists Fear the Problem of Unemployment.

SMALL PLANTS CLOSE
FOR LACK OF COAL

Three Thousand Persons Thrown Out of Work Near Dusseldorf; French Are Feeding 1000 Civilians Daily in Dortmund.

By the Associated Press. DUSSELDORF, Feb. 15.—Ten thousand German security police throughout the occupied region are to be disarmed by the order of Gen. Degauite, commander of the French occupation forces. It is explained at French headquarters that this action is deemed advisable because of the general attitude taken by the police toward the forces of occupation. Hereafter the Schutzpolizei are to be considered by the French as the protectors of the Ruhr communities without any connection with the German police.

In addition to the recent clash at Essenkirchen, the French consider that the police are inclined to use their arms too freely, especially when they get into disputes with French soldiers. It also is charged that a member of the force was disarmed in the act of setting on fire a house where soldiers were billeted.

Problem for Both Sides.

In the opinion of Ruhr industrialists unemployment may soon be the problem confronting French and German alike. The directors of the various branches of the Krupp works say that there is enough repair work on hand to keep the plants running, but for a while longer, but that the outlook for the future is dark in view of the tightening customs ring.

Despite the success of the French in maintaining a limited railway service and otherwise gaining control of the industrial area, it is the belief of the Germans that passive resistance will checkmate the French and Belgians.

Both sides admit that economic conditions in many centers are becoming worse as the smaller industries close. Yesterday the iron and wire factories near Dusseldorf, employing 3000 workers, were compelled to shut down because of the coal shortage. In Dortmund the French have opened food kitchens, where they are feeding nearly 1000 civilians daily.

In the Essen district, the hostility toward the French and Belgians is admittedly increasing as the nationalities have taken a stand against compromise of any kind.

Pamphlets printed in French urging the soldiers to revolt and leave Germany to herself have been distributed through the barracks of the military in various parts of the Ruhr. The French say that this plainly is a German trick to incite the soldiers.

Germany Gets Some Coal.

The Germans are boasting that, since Feb. 6, occupied Germany has been receiving more coal from the Ruhr than France and Belgium. They point proudly to the statement that during the past week 60 trainloads have been shipped out, despite the efforts of the French to place soldiers at all possible loopholes.

They did not begin to boast until the French discovered the leakage. Occupation authorities say that actually the Germans managed to get through only 40 coal trains which went into the interior over private railway lines leading from the mines and by other routes which the occupying forces had not controlled properly.

The French announce that all such railways into the interior now are guarded cautiously and that the customs ring which aims to shut off from the unoccupied region all supplies of coal, coke and metals now is welded tightly.

Representatives of industry and trade throughout the Ruhr continued on Page 3, Column 1.

LECOINTE, FLYING 234
MILES AN HOUR, BREAKS
AIRPLANE SPEED MARK

By the Associated Press. ISTRES, France, Feb. 15.—ADI LECOINTE, the French aviator, flying a 300-horsepower Nieuport, today maintained an officially timed average speed of 377.657 kilometers (234.64 miles) an hour for a distance of four kilometers. This eclipses the record established by Brig. Gen. William Mitchell, assistant chief of the American air force, who flew 224 miles an hour at Selfridge Field, Mich., on Oct. 18 last.

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BRITISH LIBERALS WANT U. S. TO JOIN IN RUHR MEDIATION

Georgian and Asquithian Wings of Party Unite to Support Amendment to Be Debated Monday.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—The proposal that Britain lead in urging an international settlement of the Ruhr situation, on which both wings of the Liberal party have united, has been widened to include the United States. The Liberals had agreed to propose an amendment to the reply to King's address urging the Government to ask the League of Nations to try to settle the question. Milton Young, chief whip of the Georgian Liberals, and Viscount Eglar, chief whip of the Asquithian Liberals, yesterday agreed to change the text of the amendment so as to draw the United States into co-operation with the League. The amendment will be debated in the House Monday. It is sure to be voted down by a large Conservative majority, but many Unionists look forward with apprehension to Monday's debate.

Text of Amendment.
"Inasmuch as the future peace of Europe cannot be safeguarded or recovery of reparations promoted by the operations of the French and Belgian Governments in the Ruhr," the amendment now reads, "it is urgently necessary to seek effective securities against aggression by international guarantees under the League of Nations and to invite the Council of the League without delay to appoint a committee of experts to report upon the capacity of Germany to pay reparations and upon the best method of effecting such payments."

"And in view of recent indications of the willingness of the United States to participate in a conference to this end, the British representative on the Council of the League of Nations should be instructed to urge that an invitation be extended to the American Government to appoint experts to serve on the committee."

Puts Liberals on Record.
This puts the Liberals on record as desiring co-operation of England and America in effecting a settlement, a co-operation which many Liberal papers have insisted is the only method of settling the question.

Lloyd George, it is understood, will speak for the amendment Monday. So will former Premier Asquith, to whom old parliamentary hand primary credit for this escape from the dilemma of Liberal divisions is due. Premier Bonar Law probably will reply, pointing out the league can intervene only if the parties to the dispute so request and that France is obviously unwilling to mediate. Hence the Liberal amendment will be regarded as an attempt to make political capital out of an impractical proposal.

Liberal Attitude.
Liberals believe they have stolen a march on Labor in offering this amendment. Although Labor is stronger in the House than both Liberal parties combined, it was unable to find common ground for opposing the Government in the debates Tuesday. It is thought Labor will now have to support the Liberal measure, which thus will afford the best test of strength between the Government and all its opponents combined.

Many of the Unionists admit privately that the country is really opposed to France and is for the league, so that the Premier's defense of inactivity on the continent is likely to be unpopular.

Railroads Are Ready to Reorganize Terminal System

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bridges between the city and railroads. The railroads are ready to begin physical construction to put plan into operation as soon as these conferences are completed and the necessary steps taken.

Some steps will be necessary. The present ordinance controlling the Free Bridge creates a traffic zone composed of the cities of St. Louis and East St. Louis and stipulates that the charge on freight or passenger cars crossing the bridge shall be the same to all points in the zone. This conflicts with the arbitrary charges now made by the railroads for movement of freight and passenger cars over the bridge. The bridge also is placed by the ordinance under the control of a Bridge Commission. It is believed that some modification of that section also will be necessary.

Plans for Suburban Service.
In the exchange of uses of the bridges, it is contended that the present electric lines would be removed from the vehicular deck of Eads Bridge to the railroad deck and that the tunnel would be available for use of the electric lines, permitting them to penetrate close to the heart of the shopping district.

The plan contemplates also the erection of a suburban electric line station beneath the present Union Market in the block bounded by Broadway, Lucas avenue, Sixth street and Morgan street. This phase of the plan is not for immediate consumption, but it is regarded as made essential in the very near future if the proposed uses of the bridges are made.

Estimated Cost of Plan.

The exchange of the uses of the municipal and Eads bridges is regarded as the keystone of the entire terminal plan, the total estimated cost of which to the railroads will be between \$10,000,000 and \$15,000,000. In the opinion of the engineers' committee, which formulated the plan, the exchange would make it necessary for the railroads to proceed with the entire plan as speedily as possible and to follow the initial expenditure of \$10,000,000 with many more millions. The railroads by their agreement to institute the primary factors of the plan specifically commit themselves to make all future expansion programs fit the unit plan devised by the engineers' committee.

It also is pointed out by the committee that at the beginning of the use of the Free Bridge by the railroads, it will become necessary for them to provide yards for the assembly, classification and distribution of freight on both sides of the river, together with team yards, freight houses on both sides of the river and belt lines for industrial uses.

The engineers' committee was composed of engineers of four railroads, of the cities of St. Louis and East St. Louis and various organizations within them. The chief fault of the present terminal plan established by the committee was that it had had a haphazard growth, resulting in the duplication of facilities and so tortuous movement of freight about the district as to penalize the railroads with needless operating costs and the shipper with provoking and costly delays. The committee established that it now requires three days for the interchange of carlot freight within the district and four days for a car to move from the shipper to the boundary of the district and begin its journey to destination.

Bridge Use Restrictions.

It found that one of the chief factors of this terminal malstrom was the inefficient use of Mississippi River crossings. Passenger trains were being delayed by freight trains on Merchants Bridge. Eads Bridge tunnel restricted the use of locomotives to a size capable of pulling only abbreviated trains, and the

REED PREVENTS AGREEMENT FOR A VOTE ON DEBT

Says Haste Reminds Him of Man Who Has Gold Brick and Must Dispose of It Quickly, if at All.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Objection by Senator Reed, Democrat, Missouri, blocked efforts today of Senate Republican and Democratic leaders to arrange for a vote tomorrow on the British debt funding bill.

The haste with which the bill was being considered was said by Reed to resemble "the effort of a gentleman who has a gold brick to sell and who must dispose of it quickly, if at all."

A proposal to limit debate tomorrow afternoon was presented by Senator Smoot, Republican, Utah. McKellar of Tennessee asked that a vote go over to Saturday, although he did not object to limiting debate.

Jones of Washington, in charge of the shipping bill, however, objected to delaying a vote until Saturday and the whole negotiation went overhead when Reed made his objection.

"Sugar Coated," Reed Says.
With unlimited debate in order, Reed launched into another extended attack on the British funding agreement.

"This thing is sugar coated," he said. "We are the pitcher and England's the catcher and she never muffs a ball. It will save the financiers of Great Britain \$1,000,000,000 and deliver us, bound hand and foot, to the British Government."

This statement evoked applause from a woman in the galleries, and Vice President Coolidge rapped for order.

Reed also predicted that the commission of interest with Great Britain might draw the United States into war. The statement that the United States could refund its bonds later at 3 per cent was declared by the Senator to be "maudlin talk."

Secretary Mellon of the Treasury came in for some of Reed's fire. Mr. Mellon's business interests are such, the Senator said, that he "has no business in the office of Secretary and is there in violation of the spirit if not the statute of the United States."

Denying that the funding plan would stabilize business, Reed said it would help bond speculators and stabilize holdings of all foreign securities. "I believe I'd rather cancel our debt than unite our interests with the British Empire's for the next 50 years," he continued.

Senator Owens, Democrat, Oklahoma, said he wanted to express his "earnest dissent" from any advocacy of the use of force to collect the nation's debts. Such advocacy uttered in the Senate, he said, was "mischievous and harmful," although he would take it very seriously.

Court in the Terminal case was to leave the arbitrary charge to be fixed by the Interstate Commerce Commission on the basis of cost of the service. It is pointed out that the new Terminal plan, which will cut all operating costs of the railroads within the district, will likewise affect the cost of moving freight across the river. Hence the charge is a legal problem and had no place in a physical survey.

However, the effect of the decision of the United States Supreme

City Wants Value of U. R. Fixed at \$29,805,956

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mount rapidly and are padded out with such items as \$5,000,000 for promotion costs, and like sums for "going value" and "cost of consolidation."

Meanwhile the commission's engineers have maintained that wartime and post-war peak prices are not admissible and the average over a long term of years is proper. In this the city supports them.

However, the commission's engineers and the company adopt the same percentages for overhead costs during construction and arrive at different sums for these charges only because the company applies them to slightly higher inventory extensions. Caulfield in behalf of the city takes emphatic exception. The items and the sums claimed for them by the three parties at interest follow:

Law expenses and miscellaneous: Company, \$2,072,177; commission's engineers, \$1,901,954; city, \$1,043,545.

Engineering and superintendence: Company, \$1,703,321; commission's engineers, \$1,609,404; city, \$973,790.

Interest during construction: Company, \$2,194,223; commission, \$1,956,680; city, \$1,274,274.

Injuries and damages: Company, \$300,293; commission's engineers, \$286,491; city, \$174,758.

Taxes: Company, \$342,856; commission's engineers, \$322,290; city, included with interest during construction.

Omission and contingencies: Company, \$1,389,497; commission's engineers, \$1,350,574; city, none.

The totals of the items are: Company, \$8,002,967; commission's engineers, \$7,357,693; city, \$2,721,750.

Discussion by Caulfield.
Discussing his opinion of the overhead costs during the remote period of original construction, Caulfield says:

"The allowances made by the commission's engineers must be rejected, are purely imaginative and speculative. They are made merely upon the assumption that they must have been incurred and the sums are arbitrary engineers' percentages. There is no proof by the utility that they were incurred. They are based upon actual expenditures, but merely upon what such expenditures might have been. They are allowed on improvements and betterments made by the utility, as well as on original construction. They are allowed on the theory that if the property were now reproduced as a whole they would be necessary. There is no evidence of actual expenditure. Undoubtedly the proper course for the

car riders. He deducts the cash item.

He scouts the claim of the company for \$5,000,000 for each of the items, "promotion cost," "going value" and "cost of financing." On the cost of financing, he declares that there is no evidence in the case that any sum whatever was paid to bankers and brokers and cities court decisions to show that inclusion would be improper if the expenditures had been made. On promotion, he declares that there might be need for promotion if a system such as the United Railways were to be created at one time, but "promoters are required when the Sarah street line, the Union avenue line or the recent City Limits line were built." He pointed out that the company expanded and grew in the course of its routine existence.

"Going value" is dismissed with a statement that the United States Supreme Court has held that it has no place in valuation for rate-making. Similarly, the item \$11,536,385, asserted by the company to have been the cost of consolidating the various systems into one, is stamped as an effort to value something that is admittedly water. The sum is the difference between the market value of securities given to the bankers who effected the consolidation and the sum realized by the company from its total issue.

Caulfield summarizes his valuation as follows:

All physical property and franchise: except working capital \$38,308,101.00
Construction overheads 2,621,371.00
Working capital 1,915,405.00

Total as of Dec. 31, 1922 \$42,844,877.00
Additions to property, plant and equipment, Jan. 1, 1919, to Dec. 31, 1922 604,039.11

Deduct depreciation \$43,448,916.11
Deduct noncarrier property 13,034,674.83

Final value as of Dec. 31, 1922 \$30,414,241.28
Deduct noncarrier property 608,284.83

Final value of carrier property \$29,805,956.45

Boonville Library Is Assured.
SPEARS, Mo., Feb. 15.—The Woman's Civic Club of Boonville announces that a campaign for a public library here has been successful and the amount will be used for current expenses for opening a library, which is to open in the Chamber of Commerce room of the City Hall here with about 100 volumes. Boonville has never had a public library.

U. R. Earnings in 1922.
The net earnings for 1922 of the United Railways were \$3,222,131, or approximately 6 1/2 per cent on the tentative valuation of \$50,000,000, and at more than 10 per cent on the basis of the city's valuation submitted today. The railways carried 10,076,475 passengers and had a gross income of \$19,969,555.

Stanchfield Refused to Discuss Rumors.
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 15.—Examination of the books of the Citizens' Bank of St. Louis, which closed Tuesday by order of the Board of Directors and was taken over by the State Finance Department yesterday, is being continued today under direction of A. J. Stanchfield, Deputy Finance Commissioner.

Stanchfield refused to discuss rumors that a shortage of \$100,000 had been found in the accounts of the institution, which had total deposits of approximately \$260,000. He also declined to discuss reports that loans had been made without approval of the board.

"We have not completed our examination and I cannot discuss any of the affairs of the bank," Stanchfield said. "I do not know when the examination will be finished."

Stanchfield would not discuss a report from Jefferson City that Finance Commissioner Millspaugh, to whom he made a partial report yesterday, had said to reporters that the shortage was understood by him to have been caused by the cashier making loans in the name of the bank, which were not shown on the bank's books. It was said at Jefferson City, according to reports, that the examination would be completed in one or two days.

French to Disarm German Police in Occupied Regions.
Continued From Page One.

ferred with the German authorities of the occupied area at Hamm yesterday regarding the general situation, especially the effect of the Franco-Belgian prohibition of exports to unoccupied Germany. After the meeting the conferees unanimously expressed optimism over the progress of the German resistance in the occupational forces.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—British and French Cabinet Ministers met here today in a conference which, if it fails to evolve a program for British co-operation with the French and Belgians in solving the Ruhr transportation problems, is considered likely to result in the early withdrawal of the British troops from the Cologne area.

The British Ministers at the meeting in Downing street were Prime Minister Bonar Law, Lord Curzon, the Secretary for Foreign Affairs, and the Earl of Derby, the Secretary of War. The French Cabinet was represented by M. Le Troquer, the Minister of Public Works.

It was understood when the conference started that the French request for additional transport facilities through the British zone was being received sympathetically. The British maintain that the French have little need for more railroads to handle reparations coal shipments to France, but it is realized that the French have a problem equally serious in the transportation of supplies from France into the occupied territory.

The question may be settled temporarily by the transfer of six miles through the British zone, containing a double-track railway line, to the French.

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GEN. PATRICK MAKES VISIT TO SCOTT FIELD

**Inspects Post as Possible Site for
National Air Meet to Be
Held Next Fall.**

Major-General Mason M. Patrick, chief of the Army Air Service, visited Scott Field, the army lighted-than-air station, near Belleville today. The visit was made as a beginning of Gen. Patrick's inspection of sites and facilities for the National Aeronautic Association meet, and Pulitzer trophy race, to be held next fall in the near vicinity of St. Louis.

Gen. Patrick arrived at the field at 10:45 a. m., and addressed the officers, speaking of plans for the development of Scott Field, and of the coming air meet. The afternoon was given to inspection. An earlier plan for a flight in an army dirigible

ble was not carried out. The flight had been planned to include an inspection of Lambert Field, Bridgeton, St. Louis County, which is favored by the St. Louis committee and the location for the flying events.

At the University Club, before leaving for Scott Field, Gen. Patrick said he intended to make a thorough survey of the fields available, and that his decision would determine the location for the events. Army flyers and machines are not permitted to participate in any event which is

not controlled by the Army authorities.

At Belleville this evening, Gen. Patrick will be the guest of the Board of Trade. He is to be the

guest of honor tomorrow at a luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce given by the Chamber, the Military Order of the World War and the Flying Club of St. Louis. Tomorrow evening he is to attend a dinner of the Community Club of Grace Methodist Church, Skinner road and W.

Hyde Insurance Bill Introduced.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 15.—A bill prepared by Superintendent of Insurance Hyde to give him increased power in the fixing of fire

Insurance rates was introduced in the Senate today by Senators Casey of Kansas City and Brunk of Aurora. The Superintendent seeks a legislative declaration that he has power in determining the justness of rates to take into consideration the administration expense of companies and the soundness of their investments.

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NAVEL ORANGES	
Large 50c California seedless oranges. Dozen	43c
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bottle, \$1.25; pint	75c
12 pint bottles	\$1.50

Cocktail; bottle	\$1.15
can.	.45c
can.	.16c and .11c
Ripe Olives; quart can.	.45c
Added Wheat; 15c pkg.	.11c
FAST, Lb...16½c	
Smoked Beef Tongues, 2½ to 4 pounds. Pound	27½c
Veal Shoulders; lb. 17½c;	
Veal Breasts, lb.	15c

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STOCK SALESMAN IS ARRESTED

Buyer Swears to Warrant Charging Obtaining Money By False Pretenses.

C. L. Van Der Heurk, a stock salesman, with an office in the Boatmen's Bank Building, was arrested last evening on a warrant charging him with obtaining money by false pretenses.

The warrant was issued by Justice of the Peace Weremeyer at Clayton on an affidavit by William E. Poole,

a dentist at Kirkwood, that he bought from Van Der Heurk two shares of stock in the Wrigley Pharmaceutical Co. of Philadelphia, paying \$25 a share for them, on Van Der Heurk's representation that their par value was \$25 a share. He later discovered, his affidavit states, that the stock has a par value of \$1 a share. Van Der Heurk gave a \$500 bond for his appearance before Justice Weremeyer for a preliminary hearing next Thursday. At his office it was stated today that he had gone to Kansas City on business.

THREE MEN SOUGHT FOR MURDER

Mutilated Body Found Near Chicago; Not Yet Identified.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Three men are being sought by police in connection with the finding yesterday of the mutilated body of an unidentified man at Geneva, Ill., near here. Persons who reported seeing the men near the spot where the body was found declared there were bloodstains on the overcoat and hands of one man.

SENATE TAMPERING
SEEN AS DANGER TO
STATE ROAD LAW

Proposed Amendment Regarded as Threatening Federal Aid—Committee to Consider Possible Action Today.

By CURTIS A. BETTS,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 12.—The State highway law yesterday was put on its way to destructive amendment in the Senate, to an alteration which endangers the \$20,000,000 of Federal aid expected to make possible the completion of the 7,600-mile State road system.

The Highway Committee of the Senate this afternoon will consider the proposed change.

The main purpose of the critics of the Highway Commission is to amend the law that the commission will be specifically prohibited from building the 1,600 miles of primary or high type road, along any other routes than those fixed by the Legislature in designating the State road system in 1921. In other words the attempt is to be made to compel the commission to follow exactly the legislative designation, irrespective of whether that designation is correct from an engineering standpoint.

Lafayette's Amendment. Several weeks ago Senator Lafayette of Nodaway County introduced in the Senate a bill to make a slight amendment in the road law, an inconsequential amendment which would change only slightly the designation in Nodaway County. This went to the Highway Committee and in due time was reported back to the Senate.

Senator Irwin of Jefferson City yesterday offered a motion to reoffer the bill to the Highway Committee for the announced purpose of trying the hands of the Highway Commission in its effort to establish a primary road system on what its engineers held to be proper and scientific lines with the lowest grades and by the most direct routes.

Irwin was supported by Senator Harris and several other Senators and was opposed by Senator Raleigh of St. Louis County, who was the leader in the road fight of 1921 in which the dirt road advocates were routed and a law passed to insure the proper expenditure of the \$20,000,000 of road bond money. Raleigh pointed out the danger threatened by any tampering with the law and urged that it be permitted to stand. It was sent back to the committee by a vote of a large majority of the Senators.

Principal Danger Feared. The principal danger feared by Senators who are in thorough sympathy with the good roads movement is not that the Senate will do much to wreck the law, but that when the measure reaches the House and the wrecking has been begun in the Senate it will be carried far beyond the intentions of those in the Senate who are seeking to amend it.

It is probable that Senator Cuyler, chairman of the Senate committee, will write the amendment which will be voted by the Senate committee. Cuyler said this morning that he expected to call a meeting of the committee this afternoon or tonight and that he would be unable to say how the bill would be amended until after the committee had acted.

There is little doubt, however, that the amendment further limiting the now limited powers of the commission in designating the primary roads will be reported from the committee, and that unless there is a strong pressure brought to bear on the Senators the amendment reported by the committee will be adopted by the Senate.

Gary's Argument. Theodore Gary, chairman of the committee, in an address to members of the Legislature Tuesday night, begged that the road law be not "toyed with." He said that one of the strongest provisions of the Federal road law, under which Federal aid is granted, is that the State Highway Department must have power to determine routes, and that if any further limitation were placed on the commission, there was very grave danger that all Federal aid would be lost to the State.

He said the commission's power even under the present law, was doubtful, but that in order to hold the Federal aid, the commission had been claiming a power which it was not certain it had. He told that the United States Department of Agriculture had failed to approve the Missouri road system because of this question as to the commission's power, but that Federal aid would continue to be extended under the present law until 1928 to give time for the Legislature to strengthen the power of the commission.

His argument was that if the law was permitted to stand until 1928 as it was written in 1921, the State would continue to receive Federal aid until that time, but that if any restrictions were placed in the law that Federal aid might be withdrawn at any time.

From many standpoints the road law is in almost as great a danger as it was during the weeks of the 1921 road fight, and advocates of hard surfaced roads, who would prevent the wrecking of the law, should bring influences to bear to keep their Senators in line to oppose any change in it.

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(House Dress Section—Downstairs Store.)

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Medium-weight Cotton Union Suits in ecru color.

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Rug Samples at \$3.39

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Shown in many attractive patterns and colorings. Excellent quality. 36 inches wide. (Square 1—Main Floor.)

Corsets at 89c
Standard makes, of pink and white coutil, low and medium bust. Rustproof boning. All sizes. (Square 15—Main Floor.)

Crepe de Chine At \$1.25 Yard
All-silk Crepe de Chine, reversible. Blue, brown, black and underwear shades. 40 inches wide.

American Pongee At 88c Yard
Heavy quality Pongee, in natural tan color. For dresses, shirts, bloomers, children's wear, etc. 33 inches wide.

Silk Taffetas At \$1.98 Yard
Plain and changeable colored Taffetas, of splendid quality. Light and dark shades, as well as navies, browns, and black. 36 inches wide. (Escalator—Square—Main Floor.)



An Unusual Purchase and Sale of BOYS' WASH SUITS

\$1.95

Guaranteed Fast Colors

All Sizes 2½ to 10 Years

FOR months we have been working with two leading manufacturers of Boys' Wash Suits, in preparation for this sale. We are now able to offer these high-grade garments in widest range and at a very low price and in great quantities. We believe it will be impossible to duplicate this sale this year, therefore we urge mothers to supply the youngsters' needs for the entire coming season. Early shopping is also advisable.

The Materials—

include Palmer Jr., Devonshire cloth, Jean, Golden Cloth and other much-wanted materials.

The Values—

are most unusual, made so by the fine tailoring and the splendid materials used.

The Colors—

include blue, brown, green, gray, white, and many unusually good combination effects.

The Styles—

include the very popular middie, Oliver Twist, French Middy, Balkan, and novelty models.

The Guarantee—

a new Wash Suit will be given for every one that does not wash or wear satisfactorily. (Fourth Floor.)

Misses' Frocks—Special

For Street, Business and School Wear

At \$10.00



SMART Frocks, made of excellent quality Poiret twill, good silks, and sports combinations, offered Friday at a great reduction. Sizes 14 to 18 in this unusual group.

Misses' Suits at \$15.00

About twenty-five high-grade models, made of fine materials, in smart styles. Some are fur-trimmed. Each is an unusual value, so priced.

Girls' Coats at \$10.00

An unusual opportunity to secure a good Coat at a very low cost. These are for immediate wear—made of Astrakhan, in gray or brown, in belted style, with shawl or notched collars. Lined throughout. Sizes 13, 15 and 17. (Third Floor.)

200 Trimmed Hats

Choice, \$7.00

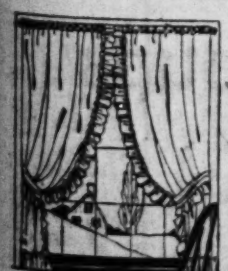
JUST 200 of these smart Hats, copies of more expensive models, offered Friday at this special price.



New Milans in a large variety of styles—quaint pokes with lace veils or American Beauties, mushroom Hats with Milan crowns and taffeta brims trimmed with smart bows; off-the-face Hats with flower trimmings, Timbo braid Hats in close-fitting with flower trimmings, flower and feather trimmed. Bright Spring colors, as well as darker shades and black. (Third Floor.)

Ruffled Curtains

Friday, \$1.75 Pair



SEVERAL hundred pairs striped Marquisette Curtains, with colored stitching on the ruffles. Tie-backs to match. For bedrooms or bathrooms.

Barred Mercerized Marquisette—In cream, white and ecru, 36 inches wide, displayed on tables, at 19c yard

Drapery and Curtain Materials

Remnants of Nets, Scrims, Poplins, Cretonnes, Marquisette, Armorial Silk, Colored Madras and Voiles, marked at great price reductions. (Sixth Floor.)

Hosiery

At \$1.35 Pair

WOMEN'S Silk Stockings, full fashioned, in black and colors. Reinforced with lisle heels, toes and garter tops. Slightly imperfect.

At \$1.00 Pair

Women's Silk Stockings, semi-fashioned, with lisle heels, toes and garter tops.

At 25c Pair

Children's Cotton Ribbed Stockings in black or brown. Double heels and toes. (Main Floor.)

Footwear

CHILDREN'S black kid ballet Slippers. Sizes up to misses' 2, at 98c. Men's black colt Oxfords, welt soles, combination last, at \$2.95. Women's black satin cross-strap Slippers, Louis heels, street soles, at \$4.95. Women's brown calf high Shoes. Cuban heels, welt soles, at \$2.85. Shinola, all colors, special, per box, 5c. (Main Floor.)

Picture Cords

At \$1.00 Each

A NEW design wire filled silk Cord with rosette top. Blue, gold, mulberry, sand, and black and gold. Hangs from center.

At \$1.69 Each

A splendid wire-filled silk Cord with rosette and tassels, made with a ring hanger for wall, or moulding hook. Hangs from center.

At \$2.69 Pair

Mirror and picture Cord with rosette and tassels, all colors, with ring hanger. (Fifth Floor.)

Wall Paper

In Room Lots, 24c Roll

THIRTY-INCH Papers in high-grade tapestry and cloth effects. For living rooms and dining rooms. (Sixth Floor.)

Floor Lamps—

Complete, \$19.75



AN unusual opportunity to secure a handsome Lamp at a very low cost. The bases are hand turned and hand-rubbed in mahogany finish. The silk shades measure 26 inches across, and may be had in a variety of shapes and colors. Finished with silk or chenille fringe. Complete with two lights, pull-chain sockets, cord and plug. (Fifth Floor.)

Seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs

9x12 Size, \$47.50

RUGS of exceptional beauty and durability, offered at a great saving. Oriental and Chinese designs, with fringed ends—for living rooms, dining rooms and bedrooms.

Inlaid Linoleum, \$1.45 Square Yard

Many beautiful designs, in the better makes of Inlaid Linoleum. Tile, block, and hardwood patterns, in straightline effects. (Sixth Floor.)

750 Shoe Shining Stands

At \$1.49

White enameled Shoe Stands, in narrow style. Well constructed. Specially priced Friday.

Wash Bench and Wringer, \$7.95. "Lovell" make Wringer with 3-year guaranteed rubber rolls. Folding Bench holds two tubs.



Metal Egg Crates

ALUMINIZED Metal Crates

for parcel post shipping. Strongly constructed, but light in weight; made for continuous use. Priced—

1½-dozen size, at \$5c
2-dozen size, at \$1.50
3-dozen size, at \$1.75
4-dozen size, at \$2.00
6-dozen size, at \$2.50 (Fifth Floor.)

Boys' Caps

At 75c

THESE are new Spring Caps, desirable colors. They are in the one-piece styles, have good linings. All sizes. (Fourth Floor.)

Boys' Blouses

At 79c

PURITAN and Tom Sawyer brands. They are made with French and button cuffs. Some have button-down collars. Sizes 6 to 16. (Main Floor.)

Women's Union Suits

At 59c

OF fine cotton, tailored neck and arms. They may be had in bodice or built-up shoulders, tight knees. Also wide knee. Open or closed style. Regular and extra sizes. (Main Floor.)

Glassware

FORTY-FIVE Cut glass Handled Nappies, each, 79c. 50 pressed glass utility Trays, each, 69c. 18 light cut glass Compots, each, \$1.75. 100 imported glass Knife Rests, each, 50c. 200 pairs of salt and pepper Shakers, pair, 25c. 200 Salt Dips, imported glass, 6 for 35c. (Fifth Floor.)

Chinaware

NINETY-SEVEN-PIECE Dinner Sets, of domestic semi-porcelain, 4 Sets to sell at \$14.50 set. 99-piece Dinner Sets, of domestic semi-porcelain, 4 Sets to sell at \$16.50 set. 51-piece Apartment Sets, domestic semi-porcelain, 6 Sets to sell at \$9.95 set. 100-piece Dinner Service, domestic semi-porcelain, 2 Sets to sell at \$15.00 set. 100 Teapots, of Japanese pottery, assorted styles, at 49c. 50 Hot Cake Dishes, of Japanese china, at \$1.50. 25 Fireproof Casseroles, 49c. (Fifth Floor.)

Special Group of Philippine Lingerie

Choice, \$2.45

GOWNS and Envelope Chemise of fine nainsook, beautifully hand-embroidered in dainty sprays, eyelets and scallops, some with lace inserts. The Gowns come in round, square and V-neck styles; the Envelope Chemise have built-up or strap shoulders. Each garment an exceptional value. (Second Floor.)

UMBRELLAS

A Sale of Maker's Seconds

At \$2.98

WONDERFUL values are offered in this group of Umbrellas.

They are of heavy silk with wide satin-taped edges or grosgrain borders, in all the modish shades and black. Handles in amber and white, with rings or leather loops, stubby ends and tip trimmings. They are termed "seconds," but the imperfections are so slight that in many instances they cannot be detected. The wearing quality is not impaired.

Early selection is advised. (Umbrella Dept. and Square 2—Main Floor.)



For Men—About 500 Good Shirts

At 88c Each

ODDS and ends in Shirts made of good quality materials, in white and colors. Neckband style, with soft or starched cuffs. Broken sizes.

Men's Neckwear, 38c

Choice of pure silk and fiber silk knitted Ties. Also some of woven silks. A large variety of patterns and colors.

Men's Underwear, 39c

Odds and ends, including white, gray and ecru undershirts in medium and heavy weights. Broken sizes.

Men's Mended Gloves, 50c Pair

Included are mocha, cape, and suede. Gloves in tan, gray, ivory and white. Wool and heavy horsehide work Gloves also included. Not all sizes. Priced extremely low. (Main Floor.)

'Friday Glove Specials

For Women

At \$1.15

ONE-CLASP Capeskin Gloves, in a good selection of colors and sizes. Pique and P. X. M. sewn.

At \$1.49

One-button Gloves, of cape and mocha; P. X. M. and pique sewn. Embroidered backs. Some silk lined. Gauntlets of cape and suede.

For Children

At \$1.15

Capeskin Gloves, in tan, brown and gray. P. X. M. sewn.

Lined Gloves of cape-skin; very warm.

Gauntlets with wool cuffs and leather hands; fleece lined.

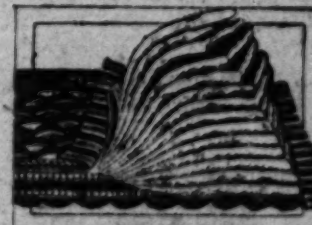
Women's Gauntlets at \$1.95

Of cape, suede and chamois, with embroidered and spear-point backs. Strap wrist and gored cuffs. Tan, brown and gray in cape and suede; chamois in natural and white. (Main Floor.)

Mattresses—Floor Samples

At Unusual Savings

WE are featuring for Friday our entire sample line of Mattresses at very special prices. Some are slightly soiled, but are perfect in every other way.



3-Piece Englander Steel Beds, \$24.90

Windsor-style Steel Beds, in walnut finish, including a high, elevated non-sag spring. A noteworthy value.

Englander Folding Couch, \$19.75

Steel Couches which can be opened with one movement into a full-size bed. Included is a stationary 30-pound felt pad.

Four-Poster Day-Bed at \$39.75

Mahogany four-poster Day-Bed, size 60x75 inches, complete with box springs to match, upholstered in art ticking, over long coil spring.

Purchases can be made on Easy Terms of Payment. (Seventh Floor.)

Preserve Shop

Cross & Blackwell's Pickled
English Walnuts, Chow Chow,
Pineapple, Cheese, Tar-
mouth Blenders, etc.
Preservation.

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BANKERS AS TRUSTEES FOR ARMOUR & CO.

Year Arrangement to Pro-
tect Securities in Financing
of Delaware Corporation.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—The finan-
cial affairs of Armour & Co.
will be taken over for five years
by a syndicate of New York
city bankers. Fifty-one per
cent of the common stock of Armour
& Co. of Illinois, the parent organi-
zation, has been trusted for a pe-
riod of five years with the three
bankers. The voting trustees are:
Arthur Reynolds, president of the
Commercial and Commercial National
Bank; Samuel McRoberts, chair-
man of the committee, a former
member of Armour & Co., now
president of the Metropolitan Trust
Co. of New York; and Albert H.
Hunt, president of the Chase Na-
tional Bank of New York.

Formal announcement is sched-
uled to follow the annual meeting of
the stockholders, postponed from
Jan. 21 to Feb. 20. Simultaneously,
the expected announcement will be
made of the absorption of Morris &
Edison.

The bankers insisted on control to
protect the securities of the recently
acquired Armour & Co. of Dela-
ware, much as they did in the Good-
rich Rubber reorganization. Armour
owned stock, which sold recently
at 100 per cent, dropped yesterday to 85,
a recovery to 88.

Armour Chairman of Board.
J. Ogden Armour will remain as
chairman of the Board of Directors.
In addition, he probably will be
elected chairman of an executive
committee, to be formed. The stock
ownership follows the recent re-
organization of Armour & Co., as
a result of which Armour & Co. of
Illinois was formed as a subsidi-
ary of the Illinois corporation and
owns 60 per cent of bonds and preferred
stock sold to the public.

Purchase of Morris & Co.
The price to be paid by Armour
& Co. for the Morris plant and busi-
ness is estimated at \$30,000,000, of
which one-third is to be paid in
cash, one-third in preferred stock
and one-third in common stock of
Armour & Co. of Illinois.

E. Edison White President.
E. Edison White, former vice presi-
dent, will be president of the new
company, a statement issued at the
office of Armour last night said. The
active management of the company
will be lodged as at present. The
statement said, adding that three
directors are to be added to the board
of directors and that "other promi-
nent men of wide experience in busi-
ness affairs" also are to be added.
The bankers referred to are those
named above.

This is in line with the policy of
making Armour & Co. a public, rather
than a private family corporation,
and the financing, now completed, is
in line with this accomplishment.

The regular quarterly dividend on
the Armour stock was declared yes-
terday.

JUDGE HOLDS PENALTY WAGE
LAW IS UNCONSTITUTIONAL
No So Rules in Suit of Former Sales-
girl Against Department
Store.

A legislative enactment of 1915,
which imposes a penalty on an em-
ployer who fails to pay on demand
wages of a discharged employee, was
held to be unconstitutional in a de-
cision yesterday by Circuit Judge
Mishler.

The decision was in the case of
Miss Emmaline Brommelsiek, 4016
North Grand boulevard, who filed
suit based on this law against the
Harr Department Stores, al-
leging she was discharged as a sales-
girl on Oct. 2, 1921, but demand for
her wages, amounting to \$14 a week,
was refused, she being told she owed
a charge account more than was
owing to her.

The suit originally was tried be-
fore a Justice of the Peace, where
the plaintiff obtained a verdict for
\$10, including penalties. The de-
fendant appealed to the Circuit
court. It being contended by the
lawyer, P. P. Berry, that the
law was contrary to the Constitution.
When the case was called yesterday
the attorney asked Judge Mishler to
give instructions to the jury to that ef-
fect, which he did. The judge said
that the law was unreasonable and
deprived a person of property
without due process of law.

However, acting on the Court's
advice, the jury returned a verdict
for \$12.48 in favor of the plaintiff.
The law in question inflicts a pen-
alty of an amount equal to the week-
ly wages of the discharged employee for
each week the salary is unpaid, dat-
ing from the time of the first dis-
charge. In Miss Brommelsiek's case,
the amount would be in excess of
\$10. She said she had been em-
ployed by the defendant 10 years.

**BARGAIN
DAY—
Specials
Tomorrow**

Leading merchants are of-
fering Post-Dispatch read-
ers special values tomorrow.
**FRIDAY IS
BARGAIN DAY**

Bill for Licensed School Engineers.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 15.—
A bill to require the St. Louis Board
of Education to hire only licensed
engineers to operate its power and
heating plants was presented in the
House today by Representative Mc-
Gee of St. Louis.

Cousins Die Almost at Same Time.
Henry Buecking and Edward Lu-
cas, cousins, died within a few min-
utes of each other yesterday after-
noon of pneumonia at Maryville, Ill.,
was 24 and Lucas was 21.

The Present Epidemic of COLDS

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Two—for a Complete Dental Treatment**

Tooth Paste cleanses, removes foreign
deposits from surfaces of teeth. It restores
the beautiful whiteness to teeth by ban-
ishing the film-coats.
Liquid Antiseptic finishes the good
work. It counteracts acids from ferment-
ing food bits in inaccessible pockets be-
tween teeth. It hardens gums, sweetens
the breath, tones up the entire mouth.

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—addition to
Liquid Antiseptic
—dental clinic

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Sale of 10000 Spring Dresses

Every Dress An Advance Spring Style,
Every Dress a Wonderful Value at

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Pictured.
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Others.
See Windows
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Tell but a Part
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You See Them.



Every Imaginable New Style,
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Exquisite Spring Fabrics

Developed in Styles for Afternoon, Street,
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Roshanara Crepes	Poirot Twills
Crepe de Chines	Tricosham
Paisley Crepes	Taffetas

We consider this Dress event one of our best selling achieve-
ments of months. Looking at it from the viewpoint of our cus-
tomers, with a full knowledge of rising market conditions and the
values in this sale—our one big message is: "BUY ALL THE
DRESSES YOU FEEL YOU CAN AFFORD." Buy for the
whole season ahead. Buy with the assurance that the styles,
qualities and values in this sale are much superior to those usually
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draped and latest Paisley effects, as expressed by
makers to whom quality is of utmost consideration.



\$70,000 TOWN CLUB STOCK HAS BEEN SOLD

Investment Company Composed
of Members Financing New
Building Downtown.

More than \$70,000 of the \$100,000 of stock to be issued by the Town Club Investment Co., composed of members of the Town Club, to finance the club's new building, to be erected at 1120 Locust street, has been subscribed. It is planned to break ground April 1.

The lot, having a frontage of about 45 feet on Locust, cost \$70,000, and \$50,000 has been paid on it from the subscribed stock. The building will cost \$170,000, and the equipment and furnishings about \$30,000, it is estimated.

The investment company, while having no financial affiliation with the club, sells stock only to club members. Should a member wish to sell his stock the investment company retains a \$600 option on it. No one member is allowed to purchase more than \$2000 of the stock, which sells at \$25 a share. Of the stock already sold, \$2500 has been bought by the club.

Will Borrow on Property.
It is planned to erect the building by borrowing money on the lot and the building as it progresses. The investment company, which will lease space to the club, believes that in 10 years it can clear itself of debt. During this time the club will attempt gradually to buy stock held in the investment company held by members.

The club now has a membership of 1700, a campaign began last December having increased the list by 350. The campaign still is in progress and the organization hopes to have 2000 members before the drive closes, the date of which has not been set.

Plans for the building have not been completed, but the tentative drawings provide for a six-story building, the first floor to be an arcade. In the basement will be a swimming pool and shower baths; the main floor probably will have space for three shops on either side of the arcade, which will lead to the club elevators. The second floor probably will house four more shops. The remainder of the building will be devoted to the club, on the third floor of which will be a lounge, reading room and card room, with sun parlor at the rear.

Ready by December.
The fourth floor is planned for a cafeteria, while the fifth will have a large and private dining rooms and the kitchen. The top floor will be designed for an auditorium, with probably a movable platform stage. It is intended to use this room for banquets, dances and recitals.

According to present plans the structure will be completed in December. It will be built so that if the club wishes ever to move to larger quarters the building will be convertible to offices. Besides the revenue expected from the shops on the lower floors, income will be derived from organizations renting the auditorium and dining rooms.

IT WAS A HOSPITAL, NOT JAIL

Mrs. Genevieve M. Paddelford in Divorce Demurrer Denies European Reports.
By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 15.—Mrs. Genevieve M. Paddelford, who recently returned from Europe, yesterday filed in the Superior Court a demurrer to the divorce action filed by Dr. George E. Paddelford, oil operator. She asked that her husband be more explicit in his charges of cruelty.

Mrs. Paddelford's demurrer also contained denials of European dispatches stating she had been arrested at Lucerne and Vienna. It declared she was in a hospital for several weeks while in Europe, but never in jail. The trouble at Lucerne, it was detailed, resulted from the fact that she and her daughter, Miss Marie Teal, registered at a hotel as "Marie Teal and mother," while their passports named them as Miss Marie Teal and Mrs. Genevieve M. Paddelford.

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Men's Friday—Special Day in the Week

The Store for ALL the People

BASEMENT

Silk Pieces 10c

Up to 4-yard lengths of printed crepe de chine in new Spring patterns and colorings for trimmings, hats, etc. (Basement.)

\$1.25 Silk Pongee 98c

25-inch fine smooth quality all-silk Pongee, splendid weight for shirts, waists, dresses also draperies. (Basement.)

\$2.50 Canton Crepes \$1.98

Silk and wool Canton Crepe, beautiful, soft lustrous quality, assorted new Spring shades, staple colors and black. (Basement.)

98c Wool Crepe 79c

36-inch splendid quality for Spring dresses, colors of wine, brown, navy and black. (Basement.)

\$1.49 Union Suits 78c

Women's extra fine quality Union Suits, tight knee, built up shoulder, reinforced under arm and crotch, irregular. Sizes 34 to 40. Plenty of outside. (Basement.)

50c to 69c Hosiery 39c

Women's and children's hosiery, fine and-lisle first and second quality. Hose, including wide ribbed sport hose. These are samples. (Basement.)

Women's \$1.79 Hose \$1.29

Full-fashioned ingrain and thread silk hose, in black and colors. All sizes, irregular. (Basement.)

21c Bleached Bath Towels 15c

16 x 38-inch full-bleached Bath Towels. (Basement.)

14c Bleached Toweling 10c

Full width, good serviceable quality, bleached tea Toweling. Limit, 10 yards to customer. (Basement.)

\$1 Table Damask 73c

Beautiful designs, full bolts, good heavy quality, 72 inches wide. (Basement.)

18-Inch Diaper Cloth \$1.39

Genuine Red Star Diaper Cloth, 10 yards in a sealed package. (Basement.)

Genuine Nashua Woolnap Blankets \$2.85

Regular \$4 value, 60x80-inch Real Woolnap, finest cotton blankets in tan and white. Slight creases. (Basement.)

44-Inch Unbleached Sheeting 14 1/2c

Full 44-inch Unbleached Sheeting, free from specks. (Basement.)

52-Inch Unbleached Sheeting 17 1/2c

Soft finish Sheeting, full bolts, 52 inch wide. (Basement.)

\$1.50 Stamped Table Covers

Extra Special **75c**

45-inch square Covers of highly mercerized Sateen cloth material stamped in three new artistic designs and hemstitched for crucheting in edge. (Fourth Floor.)

7 1/2-In. Imported Baskets 45c

Stained dark mahogany color, elaborately trimmed with Chinese coins, mandarin tassels in attractive colors; jade rings and varicolored beads. (Fourth Floor.)

Stamped Aprons 59c

Made of cream muslin, cut, sewed and stamped in five exclusive designs: Blue Bird, Daisy, Butterfly, Blue Rose and Pansy. (Fourth Floor.)

\$2.25 and \$2.50 Bertha Collars \$1.75

Shaped Bertha Collars, made of heavy Venise lace, in attractive designs. (Main Floor.)

Men's and Women's \$2.50 Umbrellas \$1.66

Gloria cloth cotton covers, 35 and 38 in. paragon frames, fancy handles, and rubber ring handles. Upright and folding, carved and lacquered, tipped with rubber. W. W. handles for men. (Main Floor.)

Women's \$2.50 and \$3 Silk Vests \$2.19

Good quality plain and fancy silk vests; bodice style; pink and other colors. Sizes 34 to 42. (Main Floor.)

Men's \$25 and \$27.50 Suits \$19

300 Suits from our higher ranges, all well tailored and trimmed. Worsteds, castorines and chevrons. Men's and young men's models. (Main Floor, Men's Store.)

Men's \$7.50 and \$8.50 Sweaters \$5.95

All wool and wool mixed medium and heavy sweaters with shawl collar and V-neck style, in various colors. Sizes 34 to 44. (Main Floor.)

Silks for Friday

\$3.50, \$3.98, \$4.98 Silks \$2.98

\$3.50 Canton Crepe—40 inches wide, in new Spring shades or black
\$3.98 Silk Spiral Crepe—40 inches wide, in new Spring shades or black
\$4.50 Satin Canton Crepe—40 inches wide, in black, navy blue, old rose, brown, periwinkle or flame
\$4.95 Brocade All-Silk Satins—36 inches wide
40-Inch Paisley Silks—Exclusive designs for blouses or dresses, in a wonderful range of styles and colors

\$2.75 Printed Crepe de Chines
36 and 40 inches wide, dainty Printed Crepe de Chines for blouses and dresses **\$1.98**

\$2.75 Canton Crepe
36-inch heavy Canton Crepe in new Spring shades of tan, gray, navy blue, brown, jade, henna or black **\$1.98**

\$1.50 Tricolettes
36-inch tubular Tricolettes, in navy blue or black **\$1.00**

\$2.50 Satin Cashmere
36-inch silk Cashmere in new light Spring colors, for dresses **\$1.77**

\$2.50 Chiffon Taffetas
Chiffon Taffetas—new shades of tan, gray, blue, brown, also ivory or black **\$1.77**

\$4.50 Duvetynes
40-inch Duvetynes in dark navy, brown or black. Ideal for dresses or capes **\$1.98**

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40-inch excellent quality black Dress Canton Crepe **\$2.49** (Main Floor—Nugents.)

NEW WASH GOODS

\$1.00 Broadcloth Shirting 59c

36-inch Broadcloth Shirting in plain colors of tan, pink, blue, lavender and green; fine quality rich, silk finish.

59c Tissue Gingham
36-inch Tissue Gingham in wanted patterns, neat checks, plaid effects and stripes. **39c**

\$1.25 Satin-Striped Shirting
36-inch white broadcloth Shirting with white satin stripes in various patterns. **75c**

\$1.49 Checked Voile
36-inch Voile in colored grounds with woven white applique checks. **\$1.00**

75c Silk-Striped Shirting
32-inch madras Shirting in white grounds with colored stripes, all silk stripes. **48c**

\$1 Ratine
36-inch Ratine in plain colors, a good quality for dresses. **59c** (Main Floor—Nugents.)

49c Dress Gingham
32-inch Dress Gingham in checks, plaid effects and plain colors. **29c**

Half-Silk Crepe
Half-Silk Crepe de Chine in colored grounds with new print patterns. **\$1.00** (Main Floor—Nugents.)

Gloves! 45c

75c and \$1 Chamoisette and Lisle Gloves
Good quality imported washable chamoisette and lisle, 2-clasp style, embroidered and spear backs; come in black, white, pongee, mode, beaver and gray. Good assortment of sizes.

\$1.50 and \$2 Gloves
Included are fine imported washable chamoisette Gloves, 16-button length, and Gauntlets with strap wrist, women's Cape Gloves with embroidered or spear backs, Silk Gloves in white and colors, in 12 and 16 button lengths; several styles and colors to select from. **95c**

Men's & Women's \$3, \$4 & \$5 Gloves
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Women's \$5 Reindeer Gloves
Fine reindeer Gloves for street wear or motorizing; two-clasp style or strap wrist Gauntlets, in brown and gray. **\$2.95** (Main Floor—Nugents.)

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9x10 1/2 foot Pabcolin Rugs **\$10.75**
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\$1

Snappy, crisp new styles of good gingham in all the newest shades of blue, green, gold, brown, etc. Embroidered and neat applique, sashes, bows, collar and cuff treatments featuring the most wanted patterns. Sizes 7 to 14.

(Second Floor—Nugents.)

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Large and beautiful, each in its own box. (Main Floor.)

Right—Black Diamond glove \$2.50 value, \$1.65

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50c Higdon's Liquid Handoline, for waving and curling the hair. **29c**

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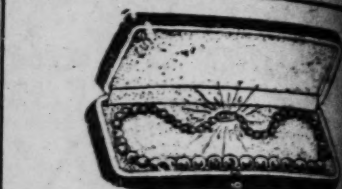
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the thin metal
just fits the
case

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with gold-plated
lock and trim-
mings fitted with
large mirror and
two metal compact
cases.

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\$2.85

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Beaded bag
beautiful and
the color com-
bination is
lined.



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clox \$2.25
values, \$1.65



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Hose \$2.50
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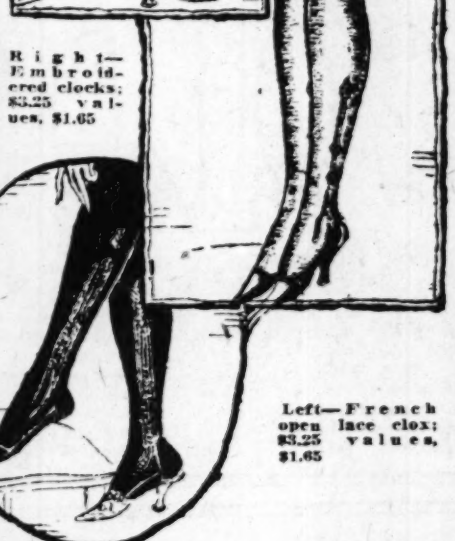
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\$3.25 val-
ues, \$1.65



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Nightgowns \$1

Full short sleeves,
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Nightgowns
\$1.95

Short sleeves, round
and V-neck; made of
splendid material,
trimmed with em-
broidery insertion,
cluster of tucks
and scalloped edge
and machine-stitch-
ing.....

Extra-Size
Chemise
\$1.25

Chemise of the quality
basinnet, with built-up
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broidery and lace ed-
ging.....

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Full short sleeves,
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finest material.

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Curtains! \$4.50 Fringed Curtains
\$2.95 Pair

262 pairs new Fringe Cur-
tains: 3 different designs,
made of the best Egyptian
yarn. Can be used one to a window,
hemmed bottom and trim-
med with thread fringe, black heading,
in the wanted eury color.

\$1.35 and \$1.50
Ruffle Curtains

In marquisette, hem-
stitched scrim, also plain
scrim with colored
stitching on ruffle. Regu-
lar width and length.
All perfect.

Pair..... 95c

\$10.50 Velour
Window Drapes

Made of excellent qual-
ity plain velour, headed
ready to hang, including
two side drapes, 25
inches each, and 72-inch
valance. Rose, blue and
mulberry.

Set..... \$7.95

39c Figured
Grenadine

36-inch Figured Gren-
adine, Swisses, also plain
Grenadine with colored
dots and figures, suit-
able for short or full
length curtains.

Yard..... 29c

\$3.50 and \$3.75
Fringe Curtains

Extra heavy quality, 40
and 45 inches wide; also
two patterns in shadow
effect. Eury color;
splendid range of pat-
terns.

Each..... \$2.45

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A Sale of Radio Sets
A Complete Radio Receiving
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permanent detector—Mur-
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\$6.00 Murdock 2000-ohm
Head Phones, pair..... \$1.95

Signal H. Batteries, 22½
each..... \$1.50

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Guaranteed
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5-quart Teakettles
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10-quart Dishpans
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8-cup Coffee Percolators
5½-quart covered Strainer Kettles
And Many Other Wanted Pieces.

A Most Unusual Chance to Replenish Your Kitchen Needs at This
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Quantities
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Wool Suits

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Boys' Wool Two-
piece Suits made with
best model, in-
verted, patch pocket
with large, allover-
lined, two pairs of
knickers full lined,
button-bottom style,
in new spring pat-
terns; sizes 8 to 17.

(Second Floor.)

Boys' \$2.25
and \$2.50
Wash Suits

\$1.79

Boys' Wash Suits:
made in Midway, Bal-
kan and Oliver Twist
styles; some have em-
blem on sleeve, trim-
med with tie, white
and black in gray,
navy, tan and combi-
nation colors; sizes 8
to 18.

(Second Floor.)

Men's \$1.50
to \$2.50
Union Suits

\$1.15

Fine white rib-
bed cotton and
short sleeves,
single length; all
sizes; irregular.

(Main Floor, Men's Store—Nugents.)

Special Sale
of
Spring
Chokers\$85
Value

\$55

Platinum and Blue
For Chokers, Rose
Marten Chokers, Hud-
son Bay, Salt, Chok-
ers. (Second Floor.)

Men's \$4
Hats

\$2.55

Stylish ex-
travagant hats,
natural, tan, new
brown shades,
new green tints
and black satin-
lined, silk-trim-
med, hand-
tied, sizes 6½
to 7½.

(Main Floor.)

\$2 and \$2.50 Negligee Shirts

Men's fiber and silk-
striped Madras Shirts,
soft cuffs, coat style,
Sizes 14 to 17.....

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

29c Amoskeag
Chambray

18c

35-inch Amoskeag
Chambray in a wide
range of all the wanted
plain shades.

(Basement.)

19c Percal

13c

Percal in white and
gray grounds, all near
a 1½ figure and
checks, also plain col-
ors.

(Basement.)

39c Art Ticking

19c

31 Art Ticking, in a
wide range of rich
color combinations and
ribbon effect.

(Basement.)

55c
Drapery Madras

39c

A new lot of Drapery
Madras in splendid
assortment of patterns
and color combinations.
All full piece and per-
fect.

(Basement.)

\$9.50 Imported Breakfast Sets

Attractive blue decorations, 6
cups, 6 saucers, 6 pie or breakfast plates,
6 serving plates, 6 sauce dishes, 1 meat
platter, 1 round cake or bread plate,
plate, 25-piece sets..... \$5.77

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

GUN THAT POUNDED
PARIS IS DESCRIBEDGerman Super-Rifle Described
in Report as Constructed
From Worn-Out Naval
Cannon.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Army
statistics credit the German super-
gun that pounded Paris during the
war with a range of 132,000 yards,
as compared to the 25,000-yard max-
imum range of American 14-inch
naval guns. The German projectile
for which figures are given, however,
was 8.25 inches in diameter and
weighed only 244 pounds, as com-
pared to the 1400-pound, 14-inch
monster used in the American gun.

The report describes the German
gun as having been constructed
"from worn-out 15-inch, 45-caliber
naval guns mounted on concrete em-
placements."

"The converted guns," it adds,
"were of two parts; the rear section
was 95.5 feet long and the forward
section 19.7 feet. The 15-inch gun
was bored out and a heavy, uni-
formly rifled tube, 4.26 inches in
diameter, inserted. 42.5 feet of this
tube projecting beyond the muzzle of
the gun. Over this projecting part
a hoop was shrunk. The muzzle sec-
tion, 22.6 feet in length, was screwed
to the end of the hoop tube. This
forward tube was untrifled and prob-
ably was added to impart additional
lineal velocity and better align the
axis of the projectile with that of the
bore of the gun."

The super-guns could be rebores
twice, first for 9.3 inch projectiles
and again for 9.93-inch missiles. One
of the guns that fired on Paris, seven
of which had been constructed in all,
thus had been rebores, the report
said.

Compared to the American 14-inch
naval gun, the German super-weap-
on was 119.2 feet in length, against
59.7 feet, developed 467.50 tons
muzzle energy against 8,750;
weighed 218,000 pounds, against
180,395; had a muzzle velocity of
4760 feet a second as against 2800;
maximum elevation of 55 degrees as
against 35, and had an accuracy life
of 50 rounds as compared to 250
rounds for the American gun.

SON ARRESTED, FARMER KILLS
SELF AND WIFE TAKES POISONKansas Found Shot—Woman Not
Expected to Live After Drink-
ing Disinfectant.

By the Associated Press.

HUTCHINSON, Kan., Feb. 15.—
Charles Ballard, a farmer, in de-
spair, and his wife in a local hospital
as a result of what police say was an
attempt at a double suicide.

A relative, on a visit to their home
yesterday afternoon, found the man
with the top of his head blown off
a shotgun beside him. The wife was
on a bed. Near her was an empty
bottle that had contained a poison-
ous disinfectant. Physicians say she
cannot live.

Officers said they believed that
grief over the arrest of an only son,
Ross Ballard, held in Wichita recent-
ly on a bad check charge, was the
motive for the acts.

STUDENT FLYER Hurt in Fall

By the Associated Press.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 15.—
Lieut. Howard G. Davidson, stu-
dent flyer at Brooks Field, suffered
a fractured jaw and arm and minor
injuries yesterday when his ship fell
near the city. He brought the ship
out of a nose dive at 400 feet but
it went into another dive and
smashed.

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A few years ago Black and White
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tinue to sell Black and White Beauty
creations in ever-increasing quantities,
with the result that the manufac-
turers have been forced to move into
larger quarters three different times
during the last four years. Even the
present plant, which occupies a total
floor space of 100,000 square feet, are
tailed to full capacity the effort to
keep up with orders received every day
from all parts of the country.

Highest Quality
BLACK WHITEBeauty Creations
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Statistics show that only one man in a hundred makes a fortune by the time he is 65—only four in a hundred are well-to-do.

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Do your thinking NOW instead of 20 years later. This large National Bank invites your Savings Account for any amount.

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MAN APPARENTLY HIT
BY AUTO FOUND IN ROAD

Gives Name as Henry Bergel, 58, of Hall's Ferry Road, but Can't Tell What Happened.

A man who gave his name at the city hospital as Henry Bergel, 58, living "somewhere in the 8500 block on Hall's Ferry road," was found unconscious at 3 p. m. yesterday on Hall's Ferry road, near St. Cyr road. His skull, several ribs and bones in his right hand were fractured, and he had suffered internal injuries.

The man, whose condition is critical, was unable to tell hospital attendants what had happened to him, but policemen investigating the case believe he was struck by an automobile. Pieces of broken glass, resembling that used in automobile headlights, were found near the spot where the man was lying.

He is still in a dazed condition, and does not remember being on the road. He is about 5 feet 9 inches tall, weighs about 170 pounds, and has light hair and blue eyes. When found, he wore a blue coat and a pair of khaki trousers over blue ones.

Thomas G. Reynolds, 78, seriously injured by truck.

Thomas G. Reynolds, 78, living at the Grace Hotel, 414 Market street, suffered fractures of the skull, jaw and left hand and internal injuries when knocked down in front of 2019 South Broadway by a truck driven by Robert Willbanks, an East St. Louis coal dealer. He is in the city hospital in a serious condition.

Willbanks told policemen Reynolds stepped from in front of a parked car and was hit by the rear of his truck as he swerved. Reynolds, who is editor of "The Squall" and a former Globe-Democrat employee, is a grandson of former Gov. Thomas Reynolds of Missouri.

Effie Cleveland, 12, daughter of Mrs. Leota Cleveland, 318 South Tenth street, suffered concussion of the brain when struck at Eighth and Barry streets by a car driven by Fred Godaire, 2614 Oregon avenue. John P. Bible, 56, living at the Terminal Hotel, suffered fractures of the left arm and hand when knocked down at Nineteenth and Pine streets by the machine of J. Widmeyer of Webster Groves.

MAN HELD FOR ABANDONMENT
AND PASSING OF BAD CHECKS

Family in Need of Food, Fuel and Clothing—Come, Since Jan. 20, Wife Says.

Everett J. Kleissle, 31 years old, of 1459 Shawmut place was arrested at Vandeventer and Enright avenues last night, a few hours after his wife, Stella, three children and Mrs. Kleissle's mother had been found in need of fuel, food and clothing at the Shawmut place home. He was held for wife and child abandonment and also accused by several tradesmen with having passed number of bad checks for amounts from \$5 to \$8.

Detective Sergeant Murphy, in charge of the Page boulevard detective district, reported Kleissle admitted having passed about 25 checks. Police yesterday sought aid for Mrs. Kleissle and her children. She had reported she had not seen her husband since Jan. 20, when he disappeared while she was a patient at Deaconess Hospital.

WALDMAN CONTEST HEARD

Democrat Contends Defeat by Wetzel Was Due to Intimidation.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 15.—The contest of Joseph Waldman, Democrat, against Frank Wetzel, Republican, Representative from the Third St. Louis District, was heard by the House Committee on Elections last night.

Waldman and his attorney, Chilton Atkinson, filed with the committee depositions of 23 witnesses who had been examined before Justices of the Peace Edward Rice and Jimmy Miles at St. Louis. Waldman contends that his defeat was due to intimidation of Democratic voters by the police. Henry Kortjohn of St. Louis represented Wetzel. No action was taken by the committee.



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New printed crepes have just been received that are decidedly attractive and represent values out of the ordinary. Some are finished with round necks of solid color material, with bows or sashes. Then there are other new models of Canton crepe, with lace collars and embroidery.



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"AT LESS THAN COST"

Our last and final Reduction Sale of all Winter Coats—Starts tomorrow, Friday, at 8 o'clock—Don't miss this!

Any Former \$10.00 to \$15.00 Winter Coats... \$ 5.00
Any Former \$17.50 to \$22.50 Winter Coats... \$ 9.85
Any Former \$23.75 to \$30.00 Winter Coats... \$12.75
Any Former \$31.75 to \$37.50 Winter Coats... \$15.00
Any Former \$39.75 to \$42.50 Winter Coats... \$17.75
Any Former \$45.00 to \$50.00 Winter Coats... \$22.75
Any Former \$55.00 to \$65.00 Winter Coats... \$29.75

This Sale Includes—

EVERY WINTER CLOTH COAT—
EVERY SILK PLUSH COAT—
EVERY FUR-TRIMMED COAT—
EVERY BLOUSE-BACK COAT—
EVERY TAILOR-MADE COAT—

300 High-Grade Extra Size

"Stout" Coats

Will Be Included at These Prices

ALL WINTER DRESSES Below Cost

Just 55 DRESSES will be sold to the first 55 Customers—Friday morning—worth up to \$25.00, at

\$9.85

ALL FURS SACRIFICED!

Every Fur Scarf, every Fur Cape, every Fur Coat Half Price

400 NEW SPRING
SAMPLE HATS

Worth Up to \$5.00—Friday **\$1.95**



Haircloth Hats—
Twisted Braid Braids
Matron's Hats—
Candy Cloth Hats—
Misses Hats—

Sale Will Start 8 O'Clock Friday Morning—No C. O. D's—No Exchanges

ADDISON'S

Final February Clean-Up

Women's \$8 & \$10 Low Shoes

Straps and Colonials

\$5.00

10 Different Styles in

Patent Kid

Black Satin

Brown Satin

Satin and Brocade

Steel Beaded Tongue Effects

Cuban or Louis Covered Heels

To insure absolute disposal we place on sale tomorrow 350 pairs of women's \$8 and \$10 low shoes at the season's greatest savings. Two of the 10 styles are illustrated. These shoes are of very high-grade make—the selection embracing all sizes and widths. Every pair emphatically reduced to \$5.



Springtime's Smartest Styles in

Clever New Hats

At **\$5.00**

Carefully selected Hats—each one chosen for its smartness of line and individuality of adornment.

Hardly two Hats the same. Chic modes for street, afternoon and sport wear, fashioned of the very newest Spring fabrics and shown in all colors. Unusual values, indeed, at \$5.



New Dimity Blouses

We have just received a quantity of new tailored Dimity Blouses that are really exceptional values at this popular price. For wear under sweaters, with sport or tailored suits, these good-looking blouses are most essential. Sizes 34 to 46 bust measure.

\$1.95

BELIEVE GIRL TRACKED TO BANK
OF RIVER DID NOT DROWN SELF

Authorities Told Young Woman Answering Description of Elated Corlees, St. Louis County, who disappeared Tuesday afternoon and was thought by her parents to have drowned herself in the Missouri River.

Doubt has arisen as to the supposed suicide of Miss Ethel Corlees, 21 years old, daughter of Leander Corlees, a farmer living near Chowterfield, St. Louis County, who disappeared Tuesday afternoon and was thought by her parents to have drowned herself in the Missouri River.

C. S. Earnhart, 3700 Salome avenue, St. Louis County, today said he saw a girl answering Miss Corlees' description on the Olive Street road a mile from Fern Ridge, at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday. He passed her in his automobile. Earnhart said, as noted that she looked apprehensive. She was walking toward St. Louis. Earnhart said he noticed that she wore a light blue dress and blouse, stockings—part of the description given by the girl's parents. Shortly after the disappearance, neighbors traced footprints thought to have been made by Miss Corlees from her farm home to the Missouri River.

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"Warwick"—Allover Light Tan Calf or Black Calf

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Friday and Saturday
Special!\$1.95 Silk
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Women's PERFECT full-fash-
ioned pure thread black Silk
Hosiery, lisle tops; also fine
ingrain silk, lisle tops. Extra
special tomorrow and Saturday.....\$1.29

See Window Display
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Insist upon "Phillips", the original, genuine Milk of
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25 and 50 cent bottles contain directions

We Suggest
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Sale of New Spring Hats



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\$7.50 Values

Tailored, Sport and
Trimmed Hats

For women looking for something new, for immediate
wear, new materials of strawbraids, straw and silk
combinations. Every favorite shade for Spring. Ad-
vance Spring shapes. Trimmed with flowers, wreaths,
ornamental jewels, self trimmings, etc.

To make room for new Spring Millinery we are go-
ing to sacrifice 85 Hats; values to \$10; for.....

\$2

Millinery Department—Third Floor.

DR. G. H. HINRICHS,
SCIENTIST, DEAD AT 86Discoverer of Scientific Method
of Measuring Atomic Weights
of Elements.

Funeral services will be held at
2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for
Dr. Gustavus D. Hinrichs, 86 years
old, of 4104 Shenandoah avenue, who
died yesterday afternoon from in-
firmities of age.

Dr. Hinrichs divided his interest
between chemistry and music. He
began his career as an organist in
the village church at Lunden, Hol-
stein, Germany, but after eight years
at the University of Copenhagen,
where he took a special course in
chemistry, physics and languages, he
became a professor of chemistry.

He came to the United States in
1889, and for 13 years after taught
school in Davenport, Ia. While head
of the chemistry department at the
University of Iowa he gave the
farmers of that State, who were
without Government weather stati-
ons, scientific information which
guided them successfully in crop
cultivation.

Scientific Discovery.
"Who's Who in America" credits
him with establishing the graded
courses in chemical laboratory work
for students, and with being discov-
erer of the scientific method of
measuring the atomic weights of all
of the elements entering into any
given reaction.

Coming to St. Louis in 1889, he
took charge of the chemistry de-
partment of the St. Louis College
of Pharmacy, and 18 years later be-
came head of the medical depart-
ment of St. Louis University. Since
1903 he had been associated with
his son, Dr. Carl Hinrichs, in chem-
ical research work, maintaining a
large laboratory at his home.

Besides having been the author of
40 books on scientific subjects, he
belonged to a number of European
scientific organizations, among them
the French Academy. He wrote and
spoke Danish, German, French and
English.

Besides his son, Carl, who resides
at 4112 Shenandoah avenue, he is
survived by a daughter, Anna, with
whom he made his home, and another
son, Gustave, who is a farmer in
Iowa.

HOWAT BACK IN CELL HE
LEFT THREE WEEKS AGO

"Change From One Jail to Another
Keeps Me From Growing
Weary," He Says.

By the Associated Press.

GIRARD, Kan., Feb. 15.—Accom-
panied by his wife and relatives, Al-
exander Howat arrived at the county
jail here last night and took up the
quarters he left about three weeks
ago when paroled from a year's sen-
tence.

"The change from one jail to an-
other now and then keeps me from
growing weary," was his only com-
ment.

A commitment was issued last
week by District Judge Wooley, fol-
lowing receipt of a mandate from
the Kansas Supreme Court, affirm-
ing the decision of former District
Judge Curran in fining Howat \$200
and requiring of him a \$5000 bond
to call no more strikes. Howat de-
cided not to comply with the pro-
visions of the commitment.

"I have no power or authority to
call a strike, even if I wanted to, for
the reason that I am no longer a
member of the union or an official
thereof, any more than any other citi-
zen of Kansas," said Howat, who
recently was pardoned by the Gov.

error when serving out a sentence
for violation of the Industrial Court
law.

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IF BACK HURTS
FLUSH KIDNEYS

Drink Plenty Water and
Take Glass of Salts Before
Breakfast Occasionally.

When your kidneys hurt and your
back feels sore, don't get scared and
proceed to load your stomach with a
lot of drugs that excite the kidneys.
Keep your kidneys clean like you
keep your bowels clean, by flushing
them with a mild, harmless salts
which helps to remove the body's
waste and stimulate them to their
normal activity.

The function of the kidneys is to
filter the blood. In 24 hours they
strain from it 500 grains of acid and
waste, so we can readily understand
the vital importance of keeping the
kidneys active.

Drink lots of good water—you can't
drink too much; also get from any
pharmacist about four ounces of Jad
Salts. Take a tablespoonful in a
glass of water before breakfast each
morning for a few days and your kid-
neys may then act fine. This famous
salts is made from the acid of grapes
and lemon juice, combined with lithia,
and has been used for years to help
clean and stimulate clogged kidneys;
also to neutralize the acids in the sys-
tem so they are no longer a source of
irritation, thus often relieving blad-
der weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot
injure; makes a delightful efferves-
cent lithia-water drink which every-
one should take now and then to help
keep their kidneys clean and active.
Try this; also keep up the water
drinking; and no doubt you will won-
der what became of your kidney
trouble and backache. By all means
have your physician examine your
kidneys at least twice a year.

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Use Antiseptic Liquid Zemo.

There is one remedy that seldom
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lieve skin irritation, and that makes
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Any druggist can supply you with
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skin diseases. Eczema, Itch, Pimples,
Rashes, Blackheads, in most cases
give way to Zemo. Frequently, minor
blemishes disappear overnight. Itch-
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a safe, antiseptic liquid, clean, easy
to use and dependable. It costs only
35c; an extra large bottle, \$1.00. It
is positively safe for tender, sensi-
tive skins.

For Spring Sports!
Wool Slip-Ons
\$5

Light-weight novelty weave, wool
slip-on, in combinations of colors,
novelty, stripes, round and V-neck.

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GRAND-LEADER

Extraordinary!

End-of-the Season Sale of

OVERCOATS

WE have in stock 300 Winter Overcoats, most of them
are from the House of Kuppenheimer—we are going
to sell them at severe price reductions and have grouped
them into two lots, at

\$23 \$33

The man who buys one of these coats will find next
year that he has made a very profitable investment.

(Fourth Floor.)

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Washington Avenue at Seventh Street

Just Arrived
Spring Skirts
\$8.98

Smart plaited and straightline
skirts of striped, prunellas or
brushed wool novelties in new
shades, in checked and plaid motifs.

Two Important Values in Spring Apparel

—With an Outstanding Feature,
"Style Divorced From Extravagance"Costume Suits
and
New Spring Coats

At the One Very Low Price

\$39.75

THE COSTUME SUITS—These are entirely new and differ-
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applications, in new box-coat, Peter Pan collared, convertible
collared and novelty bloused types. Twills and sports types.

THE SPRING COATS—Handsome new Spring
Coats, Capes and Wraps developed in the new
Spring soft, rich materials, all beautifully silk
lined, in the new and becoming Spring styles,
also Sports Coats of camel's-hair, mixtures and
plaids.

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Beautiful black satin
Strap Pumps with hand
Cuban heels. All sizes
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Sensenbrenner's

SIXTH AND ST. CHARLES

Tomorrow We Will Begin Our Monthly "PROFIT-SHARING" DAY

Tomorrow, and once each month we will hold this unique sale, the prime purpose being to gain new friends for Sensenbrenner's. We wish to impress on all who read this announcement, that the merchandise advertised for this day is new and desirable in every way, and is being offered at very little above what it actually cost us.

An Extraordinary Event! NEW CAPES and WRAPS

Exactly 310 Charming Spring Models—Regular \$25 and \$35 Values at

\$18

A group that demonstrates just how "Profit-Sharing" day will be observed. The kind of models fashionable women will wear and the kind you would expect to pay many dollars more for in a usual way. Buy your new Wrap tomorrow and save.

Smart models of soft, durable materials with newest collar effects and other fancy trimmings. Many styles for misses and women.

(Third Floor.)

\$10 and \$12.50 Hats



In the
"Profit-Sharing"
Sale at

\$6.50

The latest New York models, offering a wonderful assortment of new Straws and combinations in every style and shade.

See the Window Display

(Second Floor.)

New \$6.50 Satin Strap Pumps

Offering Exceptional Styles and Savings



Special for
"Profit-Sharing"
Day at

\$3.50

Beautiful black satin or silk brocade trimmed Strap Pumps with hand-turned soles and covered Cuban heels. All sizes and widths. Actual \$6.50 values—in the "Profit Sharing" Sale at \$3.50.

(First Floor.)



For One Day in the
"Profit-Sharing"
Sale

Regular \$2 Values

\$1.50

All Perfect

Our regular day in and day out \$2 Hose offered for this day at \$1.50. Share this substantial saving of the "Profit Sharing" Sale.

(First Floor.)

BILL FOR STATE CENSORSHIP OF MOVING PICTURES KILLED

House Committee Reports Out Favorably Measure to Repeal 3 Per Cent Housing Trust Law.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 15.—A bill to provide State censorship of moving pictures, sponsored by the Committee of Fifty of St. Louis, was killed last night by the House Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

At the same time another House committee, that on building and loan associations, was reported out favorably a bill to repeal the statute under which 3 per cent housing trusts are operating.

Under another measure, by Representative Grant of Callaway County, which the House Committee on Railroads voted five to four to report out favorably, the division points or terminals from one place to another in the State would have to be compensated the employees thus compelled to move for any loss suffered in the value of homes owned by these persons.

Other bills reported out favorably included the Weber bill to cut the rate of interest a pawnbroker may charge from 2 per cent a month to 1 per cent a month and the Nelson bill to abolish the present State Board of Charities and Corrections and create a new board of precisely the same powers and description.

TWO HERRIN TALES MEN SEATED TENTATIVELY BY BOTH SIDES

One Is Farmer and Other Union Painter—42 Persons Examined So Far.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. MARION, Ill., Feb. 15.—Of the 42 prospective jurors that have passed through the jury box in the Herrin massacre trial only two have been tentatively held by both sides. One is a farmer and the other a union painter.

The defense yesterday tendered Thomas Cox, Rollie Edwards, Grover Hampton and Ernest Cannedy. Cox is a lifetime farmer, whose nearest relative connected with coal mining is a nephew. Edwards is a member of the Painters' Union and helps his father farm near Crab Orchard part of the time. The other two men were excused by the State.

When it developed that Cannedy had a son under indictment connected with the massacre and that Hampton was a coal miner, contributing to the defense, the court felt that his verdict would be influenced by his union affiliation.

CAUSE OF MINE BLAST THAT KILLED 120 FIXED BY JURY

Dust Raised by Broken Trolley Wire Was Ignited by Electric Arc—3 More Bodies Recovered.

By the Associated Press. DAWSON, N. M., Feb. 15.—Determination of an out-going motor trip car, knocking down timbers to which the trolley feed line was attached, raising a quantity of dust which was ignited by an electric arc, caused the disastrous explosion in Mine No. 1 here Thursday last, which cost the lives of 120 men, according to the verdict returned by the Coroner's jury here yesterday. The arc which set off the coal dust was caused when the feed wire came in contact with one of the iron pit cars, the jury declared.

Three more bodies were recovered from the demolished interior of the mine yesterday, still leaving 11 not yet found amid the debris.

HOUSE PASSES BUTTERFAT BILL

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—A Federal standard for butter, which has been under discussion for many years, would be definitely determined on the basis of an 80 per cent butter-fat requirement, by a bill passed yesterday by the House.

The measure, which now goes to the Senate, would define it as a product made exclusively from milk or cream, or both, with or without condensing.

mon salt and without additional coloring matter and containing not less milk fat.

An Unprecedented Opportunity!

Work on the new building for the Liberty Hospital—at Taylor and Washington Av.—is progressing rapidly. Certificates of Stock pay 7% Annual Dividend, and also include Unlimited Service and Protection. \$100.00 earns all this for you.

There are still some of these Certificates available, and I suggest that you get in your reservations at once.

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BARGAIN DAY—Specials Tomorrow

Leading merchants are offering Post-Dispatch readers rare values tomorrow. FRIDAY IS BARGAIN DAY

DOLLAR DAY

\$2, \$2.50, \$3 Lace Curtains

200 pairs fine quality Lace Curtains and Panels. 2 1/2 yards long; several all-onesome have slight imperfections; choice at

Penny & Gentles

BROADWAY AND MORGAN ST.
WE GIVE AND REDEEM EAGLE STAMPS

\$1.75 Fringed Window Shades

200 best quality oil opaque cloth shades; 18 inches wide, 5 feet long; scalloped and fringed; buff color; on sale Dollar Day

4 Yds. 49c Tubing

Very fine quality; yard-wide; 3/4 inch; black; heavy linen; finish seamless; double-headed; 2 to a customer; at each

\$1.69 Bed Sheets

31x39 inches; black and white; heavy linen; finish seamless; double-headed; 2 to a customer; at each

10 Yds. 15c Muslins

And long cloths; yard wide; in mill remnants. 10 Yds. . . .

2 Yds. 89c Damask

20 inches wide, beautiful white satin material; 18 inch from Table Damask. These come in lengths from 2 to 3 yards and will be sold Dollar Day at the rate of

\$1.59 Satin Messaline

Yard-wide all-silk fast-black; lustrous satin Messaline; cut from the bolt; Yard

15 Balls 10c O. N. T.

Mercerized Crochet Cotton; both white and ecru and in all numbers. Extra special. 15 Balls

\$1.69 to \$2.95 Gloves

A wonderful lot of good quality all-silk 16-button length. Gloves; some have beautiful embroidered backs; a variety of good Spring shades; some have imperfections; values up to \$2.95

50-3c Doilies

A large assortment of Stamped Doilies in many different patterns. Stamped for cross-stitch or outline work, special. 50 for

\$1.79 House Dresses

Made of percales or ginghams; sizes to 44; only 2 to a customer; while they last

\$1.49 New Waists

25 new Spring styles; voiles and cotton pongees; high and low necks; very special

3 Pounds 50c Coffee

Extra special 3 lbs. of Penny & Gentles special blend Coffee; none better; special. 3 lbs. for

4 Yards 50c Curtain Material

Plain hemstitched voiles; also striped; 26 inches wide. 4 Yds. . . .

4 Yds. 35c Serpentine Crepes

Genuine Serpentine Crepes in the most attractive colors and designs; mono pattern; material is superior; Crepe and printed with fast colors only. 4 Yds. . . .

6 Yds. 25c Chambray

A very fine quality of 32-inch Chambray Gingham in plain and fast colors; for children's dresses, boys' shirts, etc. 6 Yds. . . .

2-79c Shirts, Drawers

Men's ribbed or fleeced shirts or drawers; mostly all sizes; special. 2 for

2-1.00 Silk Ties

Men's silk or knit neckties; regular \$1 values; specially priced for Friday. 2 for

8 Yds. 19c Cheviots

About 1500 yards of 27-inch blue and white fast-color cheviot; plain, striped and checked; all good mill lengths. 8 Yds. . . .

10 Yards Calicoes

A large quantity of full-bolt fast color 27-inch light Calicoes in a variety of choice striped, checked and floral patterns. 10 Yds. . . .

2-1.00 Silk Hose

Women's silk hose; mostly all colors; slight seconds of \$1.50 values. 2 Pairs

2 Pairs \$1.50 Silk Hose

Women's silk hose; mostly all colors; slight seconds of \$1.50 values. 2 Pairs

2 Jumpers or Overalls

Men's Overalls; sizes 34 to 44; made of 20-ounce white back denim; most all sizes. 2 for

6 Pairs 25c Hose

Women's cotton Hose; black or brown; all sizes; 25c value; special. 6 Pairs

Biggest Values Ever Offered—Friday

A New York maker, moving his factory, closed out these Hats to us at a sacrifice. Black and colors. Straw, silk, hairbraided Hats, trimmed with flowers, ribbons, feathers; Untrimmed Hats of hairbraided or straw; Jumbo Straw Sailors, and wonderful Children's Streamer Hats. Come early.

10 Pairs 15c Socks

Men's black and brown Socks; special Dollar Day. 10 Pairs

4-Word Player Rolls

These Rolls are brand-new, full length. \$1.25 values; 4 for \$1

2-98c Dressing Sacques

Women's full-cut Dressing Sacques in a variety of choice patterns; all sizes. 2 for \$1

\$3 TO \$5 SHOES

850 PAIRS WOMEN'S HIGH SHOES
This price makes it cheaper than fixing old ones. Think! It's cheaper than buying new slippers.
Chocolate and black leathers; most with low and Cuban heels; good range of sizes and all good styles, at
NOTICE Women's New Spring special savings: Low shoes offered at values to \$6. . . . \$2.95 & \$3.95

CONGOLEUM RUGS 9 x 12

Extra special. Congoelum Art Rugs, size 9x12, nationally advertised in the leading magazines at \$14.50; beautiful patterns for every room in the house; in carpet and fancy block designs; owing to mill imperfections, priced specially at \$10

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EARL Cabriolet
Five Passengers
\$1395

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Special for Friday and Saturday
Molasses Black-Walnut Taffy; 1 lb. Box... **30c**

We carry a complete line of delicious Homemade Candies.

For Real Estate Investments or Homes see the Real Estate pages through Post-Dispatch Wants.

SAYS DETECTIVE AGENCIES REQUIRED FALSE REPORTS

Albert Bailin Says Many Returns Were Fictitious, to Move Clients to Keep Investigators on Job.

CITIES REPORT OF PLANNED OUTRAGES

Asserts Copy of Untrue Statements Radicals Proposed Bombs, Made for One Agency, Was Sold to Other.

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—A deposition for use in the trial of 22 alleged members of the communist party at St. Joseph, Mich., being made here by Albert Bailin, alias Balanow, confessed paid informer and agent provocateur, contains admissions that many reports made when he was in the employ of the Burns International Detective Agency and the Thiel Detective Agency were lies.

These reports, Balanow insisted on cross-examination, were made at the direction and under the guidance of officers of the agencies. He said the agencies officers forwarded these fictitious reports to bankers, packers or law officers, who retained them to bolster up requests for more money to continue their investigations. Radical labor organizations were formed by operatives of the two agencies for the same purpose, he asserted.

Says Reports Were False.
Balanow's admission that many of his reports were falsehoods came while he was being cross-examined yesterday by O. L. Smith, Attorney-General of Michigan. One report mentioned as being false was Balanow's account of a meeting in Milwaukee with a radical agent named "Lechovetsky."

This report, according to Balanow's statements, said that "Lechovetsky" told him (Balanow) that a meeting of Russian radicals had been held previous to the Wall Street bomb explosion and that a series of bombings, assassinations and armed revolts had been planned.

In that same report, Balanow said, he declared that the fictitious agent told him of a proposal for the assassination of J. P. Morgan, John D. Rockefeller and Congressmen and Senators.

Balanow charged that Michael Flannigan, vice president of the Thiel Agency, ordered him to Milwaukee and told him to write that report, sending one copy to John J. Garrity, then Chief of Police of Chicago and another to the agency. Later, according to the witness, a copy of the report was sold to the Burns Agency.

"Took Literature to Haywood."
Another record which Balanow said was false purported to tell his acquaintance with radicals and stated that he had taken a trunk load of radical literature from Chicago to New York for "Big Bill" Haywood. Balanow said Allan O. Meyers.

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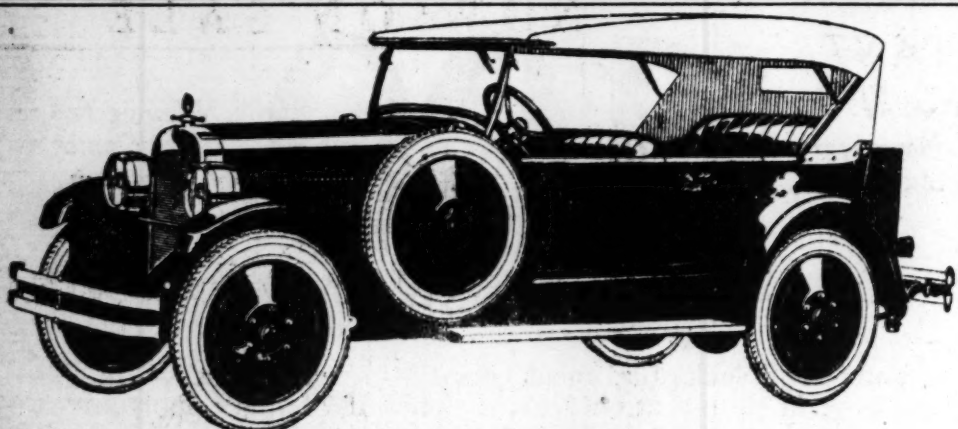
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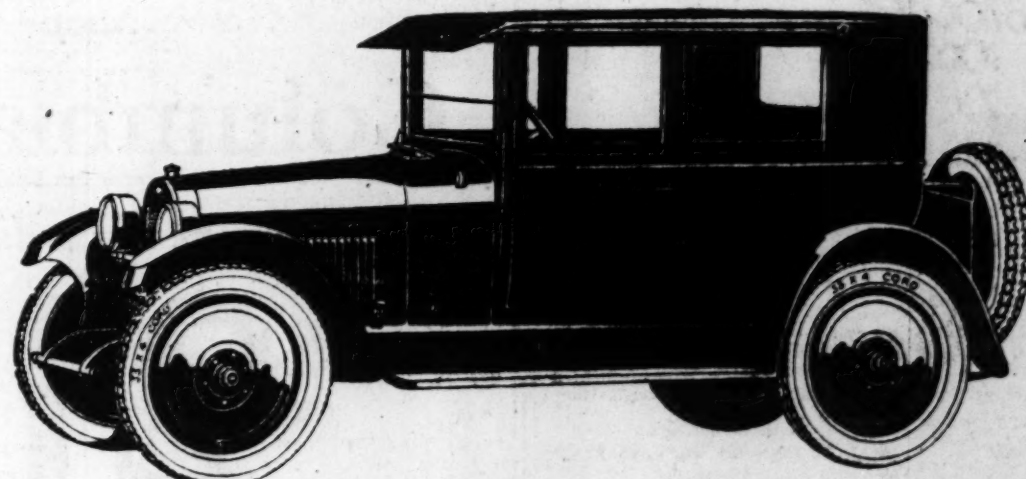
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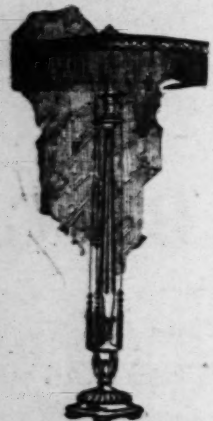
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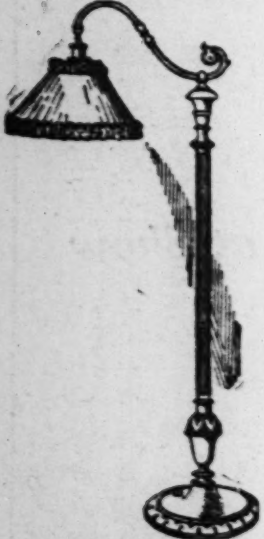
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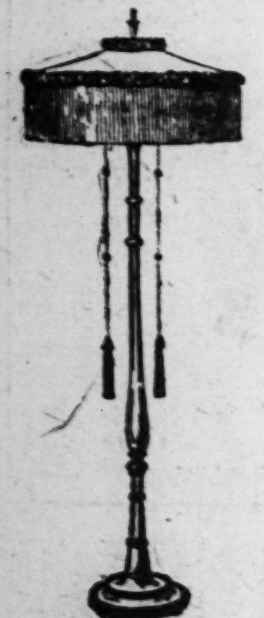
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JOINT RATE RULINGWaterways Chief Says I. C. C.
Left All Questions Raised by
Barge Service Open.

Post-Dispatch Bureau,
20 Wyata Bldg.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Instead
of settling the questions raised by
the Government's Mississippi-War-
rior barge line service, in complaints
against the railroads filed there two
years ago, the Interstate Commerce
Commission yesterday handed
down a lengthy opinion, written
by Commissioner Eastman, advising
the barge line and the rail carriers
to "compose their differences in
friendly conference and negotia-
tions." For the guidance of the com-
missioners, if such should be appointed,
the commission lays down certain
general principles which it thinks
should govern the matters in dis-
pute.

In particular, the commission
urges the barge line authorities to be
more specific in their application for
additional through routes and joint
rates. (The proceedings will be held
open, the opinion stated, for further
action by the commission if that
should be necessary.)

Col. Ashburn Disappointed.
"Frankly, I am disappointed,"
said Col. T. Q. Ashburn, head of the
Waterways Service, in commenting
on the opinion. "The commission
refuses to meet the issues, but it
will have to meet them sooner or
later. All the questions we raised are
left open."

The failure of the commission to
decide concretely on the barge line's
complaints is explained in the opinion
as follows:
"These complaints are vast in
their scope, covering as they do the
divisions of thousands of existing
joint rates, the establishment of
thousands of proposed through
routes and joint rates, the compli-
cated switching movements and
charges at several large ports, the
various incidental but nevertheless
troublesome questions. To a large
extent they raise questions which
in many of their aspects are novel,
involving the relations between rail
carriers and an experimental form
of water service. In our judgment
the best disposition of these com-
plaints for the present is to state our
conclusions as to the general prin-
ciples which should control the de-
cision of the issues."

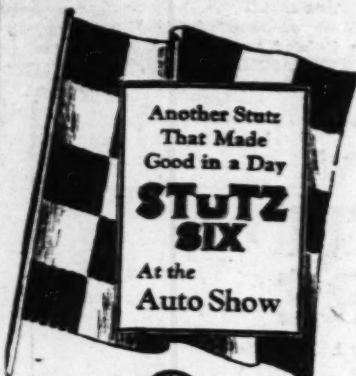
The barge line asked that rate
divisions on joint traffic be made
on the basis of the mileage covered
by the rail carrier and the water
carrier. This formula, known as
the "mileage prorate basis," was
urged as a substitute for the pre-
sent system, which proceeds from
the theory that the railroads should
receive, from joint traffic, the same
revenue that they would receive
from an all-rail movement by the
same gateway.

The barge line, in its complaint,
cited numerous instances in which
under the existing system, the rail-
roads receive a disproportionate
share of the revenue.

New Formula Not Approved.
The commission finds itself unable
to approve the new formula sug-
gested by the barge line. As a basic
proposition, it approves the prin-
ciple which now governs the divi-
sions, but adds that it is subject to
certain important qualifications.
"Finally, the opinion expresses the
hope and belief that the rail car-
riers and the barge line will be able to
adjust their differences. No reason
has been shown, it is added, for mak-
ing retroactive any readjustment
that may be effected."

16 M. E. Churches to Make Lenten
Plans.

Officials and members of the 16
Southern Methodist Episcopal
churches in St. Louis will meet to-
morrow evening at the Grand Ave-
nue Church, Grand boulevard and
Connecticut street, to consider plans
for the observance of Lent. Dinner
will be served at 6:30 p. m. Ad-
dresses will be made by the Rev.
Dr. Luther E. Todd, secretary of the
church Board of Finance, and Philip
Stremmel, superintendent of the
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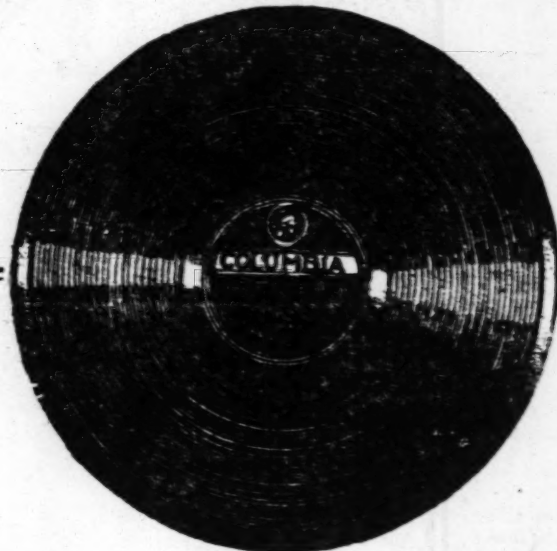
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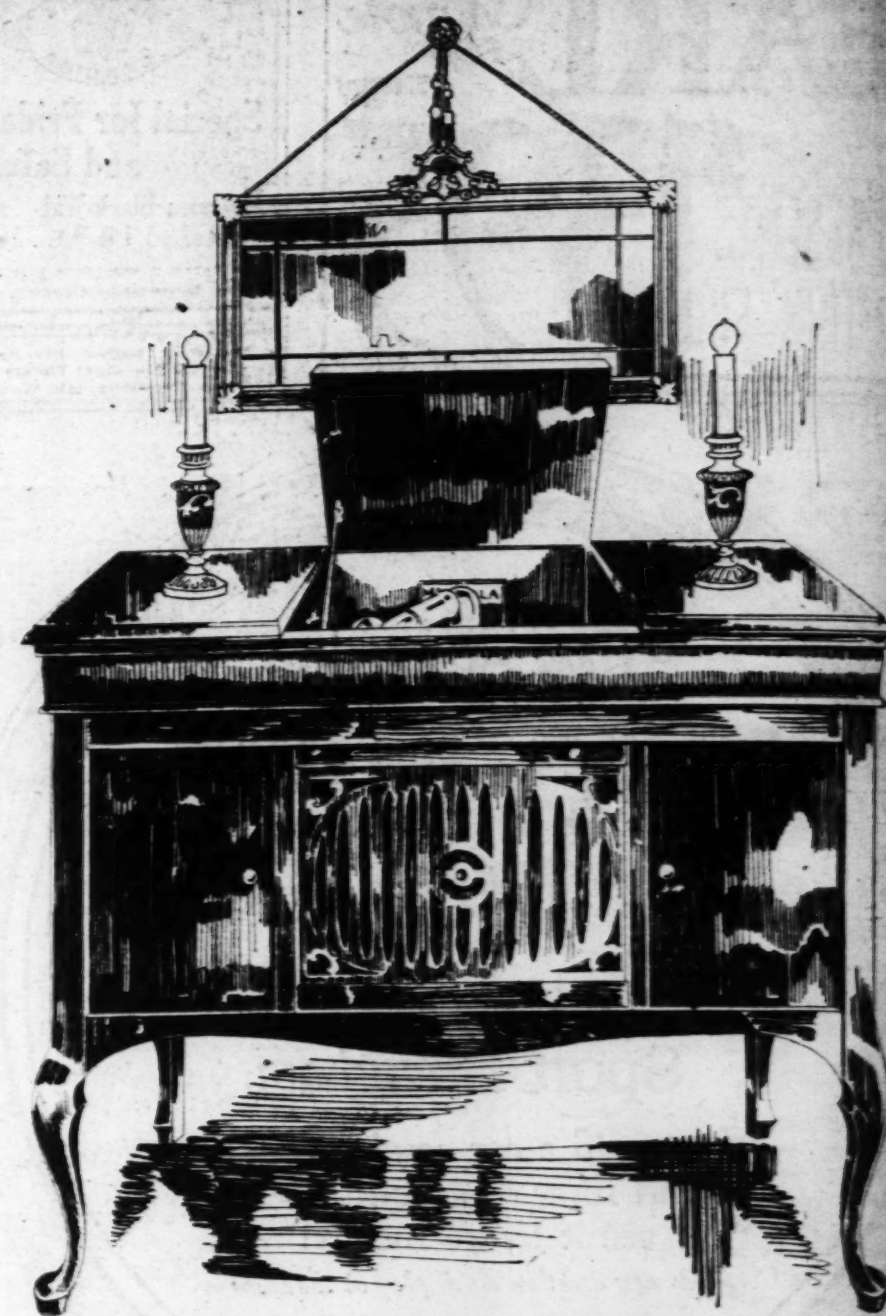
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against any other nation and be
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3 MILLIONAIRES GIVE \$6,000,000
TO NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY

John D. Rockefeller Jr. Gives Three; Payne Whitney, Two, and Edward S. Harkness, One Million.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Receipt of three gifts totaling \$6,000,000, by far the largest lump sum ever received by the New York Public Library, was announced yesterday by Lewis Cass Ledyard, president of the library's board of trustees. The donors and the amounts are: John D. Rockefeller Jr., \$3,000,000; Payne Whitney, \$2,000,000; Edward S. Harkness, \$1,000,000.

The money will be added to the endowment fund which thereby will be increased to about \$21,500,000. The income from the new money, it was stated, will enable the library to operate its reference department in its Forty-second street building without deficit and also to make up some of its arrears in binding, cataloging and book purchasing.

Rockefeller responded to an appeal for aid with a pledge of \$3,000,000 and provided a like amount could be raised from other sources. It was then Whitney and Harkness, both trustees of the library, made their donations.

TRADES BRITISH POLICY IN
MESOPOTAMIA TO WOMAN

London Express Says Gertrude Lowthian Bell Dictated Commitments in Arab Lands.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—British commitments in Mesopotamia, which have long been a cause of intense dissatisfaction among a large part of the public here, are all traceable to the influence of one woman, according to the Daily Express.

The reason why the British taxpayer pours out his money in Arab lands, "is a romantic one—the wonderful woman huntress, poetess, explorer and traveler, Miss Gertrude Lowthian Bell. Recalling Miss Bell's numerous activities, especially in the Near East, the Express continues:

"Her last and greatest role is in politics. From 1908 she has become the Egeria of the Cabinet and to a great extent has even muzzled the opposition.

"For long she was pro-Turk, but in the excitement of the war she became an Arab partisan and a worshiper of the picturesque Prince Faisal. She was appointed secretary of the Arab Bureau in Mesopotamia during the war and retains the post of Oriental secretary to the High Commissioner.

"Her influence in the civil administration of Mesopotamia is paramount, but it is not confined to Bagdad. Two years ago, Mr. Asquith threatened to take a strong line against the occupation of Mesopotamia. Miss Bell wrote and told him that he did not understand the question, and he withdrew.

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MAYOR PLEDGES AID
OF ADMINISTRATION

"There Will Be No Attempts to Dictate on Any of the Projects," He Promises Committee.

Declaration of a policy of open meetings on all matters connected with the \$87,372,500 bond issue for public improvements was made by W. Frank Carter, who headed the bond-issue campaign, following his election yesterday afternoon as chairman of the Citizens' Supervisory Committee, which will have supervision over all expenditures of bond-issue proceeds.

"The meetings of this committee always will be public," he declared. "There will be no 'closed door' sessions. This is a citizens' group to supervise a great improvement program, made possible through a citizens' movement, and everything will be open."

Carter's election took place at the first meeting of the committee, in the Mayor's office. Other officers elected were Harry Scullin, first vice chairman; Joseph Hauser, secretary; and John S. Payne, secretary.

The committee of 17 members, representing virtually all interests in the city, was appointed Jan. 10 last, by Mayor Kiel, from nominations submitted to him by various civic groups.

Support of the city administration was pledged by the Mayor in an address before the committee. The public already had shown its confidence in the committee, the Mayor said, by approving the \$87,372,500 program for the special election.

"The committee was appointed in advance of the election and announcement made it would supervise the program.

"The city administration will be entirely at your service," Mayor Kiel told the committee, "and direction of the program will be entirely in your hands. There will be no attempts to dictate on any project or to say when a project should be started. All city officials and all departments will be at your disposal."

He reminded the committee it would have a difficult task in the improvement of the city, but he said each group would be urged that its special project be the first to be taken up.

"The chief thing to be done is to get the bond-issue money to working, so there will be something to show that this far-reaching program will mean to the city."

"The committee to resign," he declared, "will be devoted largely to organization of the committee, discussion of a meeting schedule and appointment of a subcommittee to handle the report at 3:30 p. m. tomorrow in the chambers of the Board of Public Service in City Hall.

Announcement was made yesterday afternoon by John Blair Edwards, chairman of the Citizens' Supervisory Committee, which has had control of expenditures from a \$3,750,000 bond issue authorized in a special election May 11, 1920, that the committee planned to resign and turn its work over to the new committee.

Virtually all the appropriations have been approved, Edwards said, but approximately \$1,800,000 remains unspent. He told a Post-Dispatch reporter that the improvements not completed would fit in with work to be supervised by the new committee and urged the work should be under one committee, overlapping in their work.

Edwards said the resignations of the committee members probably would go to the Mayor today.

1920 Provisions.

Six items were authorized in 1920, including \$800,000 for street crossings, \$1,100,000 for extension of hospitals and institutions, \$360,000 for motor equipment and engine houses for the Fire Department, \$1,000,000 for electric lighting of major streets, \$250,000 for street improvements and \$68,000 for a morgue.

The mortgage bond issue was never made, as the amount was deemed inadequate. The new bond issue includes an additional \$140,000 for this purpose. Appropriations have been made for the grade crossing work, but the major portion is unexpended. The new bond issue has been appropriated and most of the work is under way, or under contract. A balance of less than \$200,000 remained in the Fire Department fund, Edwards said, and \$317,000 of the electric lighting fund has not been appropriated. The street money has been appropriated, but some of the work has not been completed.

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Determination of the interest rate for the new bonds was suggested at the meeting of the new committee, but preparation of recommendations to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment was deferred.

City fiscal officers and several financial experts will be invited to attend the meeting tomorrow to give information on market conditions.

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High Tribute Paid to Carter
at Testimonial Dinner for
His Part in Bond Victory

Head of Campaign Organization and Citizens' Supervisory Committee Presented With Set of 12 Silver Parfait Cups.

High tribute was paid to W. Frank Carter for the part he played in the successful campaign culminating in the passage, Feb. 9, of the \$87,372,500 bond issue for public improvements, at a testimonial dinner given for him last night at the Chamber of Commerce.

Carter served as chairman of the General Council on Civic Needs, which prepared the bond issue program as a citizens' project, and then headed the campaign organization which put the bonds across. Yesterday he was chosen chairman of the Citizens' Supervisory Committee, which will supervise the 10-year construction program of improvements.

He was lauded by numerous speakers, both for personal traits and for his organization work in what was termed the greatest campaign ever put on for any project in the city.

Gift of Parfait Cups.

A set of 12 silver parfait cups, the gift of members of the Chamber of Commerce, was presented in a large heart-shaped case. Two little tots, adorned with rosy cheeks, made the presentation, chanting, "To our valentine."

Carter expressed gratitude for the testimonial affair, which was attended by more than 450 persons, and declared the city was on the threshold of an era of development and great transformation. He attributed the success of the campaign to the cooperation of all interests and the civic betterment and public tribute to the campaign of publicity presented by newspapers of the city.

He praised the administration, the Republicans and Democratic organizations, civic groups and individuals who joined in the campaign.

"This achievement," he said, "is an evidence of that spirit of cities which makes them great. It means something more than piles of bricks and mortar—it will make the city a place worth living in."

"Selfish interests will be watched," he said, "but no man will dare stand up in the open and fight for a selfish purpose in this program."

He spoke briefly of the task ahead for the Citizens' Supervisory Committee and denounced charges made in the campaign that the money would not be properly spent. "God pity the man who attempts to filch a dollar from these undertakings," he said, "with the united prayers of the taxpayers and the great mass of citizens watching him."

He declared he had committed himself to the successful carrying out of the program and said he would devote all of his time possible to the improvement of the city.

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IN NEW CIVIC BUILDING

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Mayor Kiel spoke highly of the intensive organization work by Carter and the welding of all groups. "There was a time when the Chamber of Commerce, or similar groups, didn't dare to co-operate with the city administration because it was thought their interests were not the same. Now we are working for the same cause."

He pledged support of the administration to carrying out the 10-year program on a basis of 100 per cent value for every dollar expended.

Mayor Kiel termed the bond program a citizens' project entirely. "I have kept still two times in my life," he said. "The first was when I made my first race for Mayor, and the second was when I was elected, when they told me not to talk."

A large picture of Carter, showing his hat tilted to one side at a characteristic angle, was unveiled by F. W. A. Vesper, president of the Chamber of Commerce, who acted as toastmaster. Vesper said the picture would be kept hanging on one wall of the Chamber of Commerce.

Passage of the bond issue means that all sections of the city will have to measure up to the new standards. M. L. Wilkinson said, and he predicted the expenditure of much greater sums in the city in business building and expansion, home building, and improvements. Other speakers were Vesper, Gladys B. Arnold, and Carl F. G. Meyer.

A request that the Board of Aldermen provide means of acquiring a bust of W. Frank Carter, chairman of the Citizens' Supervisory Committee, to be placed in one of the new buildings erected with bond-issue funds in recognition of his work as chairman of the General Council on Civic Needs, which conducted the successful bond-issue campaign, is contained in a resolution adopted last night by the West End Business Men's Association, meeting at the Merchants' Exchange.

Chairman of the Progress and Publicity Committee of the association.

The resolution urges this action be taken. "We have covered the city in recognition of the spirit of cities which makes them great. It means something more than piles of bricks and mortar—it will make the city a place worth living in."

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HACKMANN TELLS
OF TRIPS HE MADE
AT STATE EXPENSE

State Auditor Unable to Recall in Any Instance Details of Official Business Occasioning Them.

DIRECTOR OF BANK IN
ST. LOUIS, HE SAYS

Admits He Charges Expense of Trips to Directors' Meetings to State if He Had State Business Here Then.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 15.—The examination of State Auditor Hackmann at yesterday afternoon's session of the Farris Investigating Committee was largely taken up in an effort by Senator Farris to obtain admissions from Hackmann that he used the various funds of his office indiscriminately to meet his expense accounts without regard to the particular business which occasioned the expense. Hackmann refused to make a direct admission.

All of the expense accounts personally paid to Hackmann in 1921 were examined by the committee. This afternoon his accounts for 1922 will be examined.

The vouchers so far submitted showed that Hackmann on trips away from Jefferson City charged his expenses to funds for meeting the expenses of assessing and collecting the revenue, for enforcing the secured debts law, for expenses of traveling auditors, for the expense of enforcing the income tax law and the cotton stamp tax fund.

Attended Drummers' Meeting.

One account showed that he had visited Charleston and Sikeston, in May, 1921. He said the trip was for the purpose of collecting from county officials amounts due the State. When Farris asked what affair of a public nature was going on at Charleston at that time, Hackmann replied:

"The Southeast Missouri Drummers' Association was holding its annual meeting. I don't hesitate to admit that I delayed my trip until that time so I could attend the meeting."

Hackmann could recall in no instance the details of the official business which occasioned any of his trips, though on a few he said he recalled in a general way controversies over taxation matters which made it necessary to visit different parts of the State.

Saving to State Cited.

He said in explanation that frequently differences arose, citing one instance in which the County Clerk of Jackson County made a charge of \$17,954.63 against the State, and that a trip by one of his employees to Kansas City developed that the correct charge was \$9238.37, a saving to the State of more than \$8000.

He testified that on another occasion it was found that Jackson County had overpaid the State \$16,225.79, the county having been overpaid that amount by the State. "I collected it," Hackmann said.

"Did you get the cash?" inquired Farris. "No," Hackmann replied. "You had an appropriation, or \$58,000 to pay stenographers and bookkeepers," Farris said. "Why didn't you pay them from that fund?" "She had work in connection with the option stamps."

"Then you believed that no matter for what purpose the Legislature made an appropriation, you could charge up salaries of the employees of your office indiscriminately to the several funds?" "I thought I had the right to pay her salary from that fund."

Senator Irwin, Republican, asked Hackmann if his predecessor, John P. Gordon, a Democrat, had paid salaries from the same fund. "My records show that during the last four years my predecessor was in office, he paid \$6300 to his wife as an employee," Hackmann said. "He was unable to say whether it had all been paid from the one fund, the charge up salaries of the employees of your office indiscriminately to the several funds?" "I thought I had the right to pay her salary from that fund."

Questioned About Use of Funds.

"Now it is a fact, is it not, that you use these funds indiscriminately, and that when you return from a trip you make the charge against any fund without regard to whether the trip was in connection with the business for which the particular appropriation was made?"

"I don't want to admit that," Hackmann replied. "Every time there was some business connected with the fund against which the expense was charged, though I will admit that on many trips there was business connected with several appropriations, and the expense might as well have been charged against one fund as against another."

Farris went into this subject in considerable detail, but was unable to shake Hackmann's position.

It was admitted by Hackmann that the salary of Miss Nell Stewart, whom he described as a bookkeeper in his office, was paid at the rate of \$200 a month for three months from the contingent fund set aside for the option stamp fund. He admitted that Miss Stewart's duties were not confined to the option

HOW MISSOURI IS BUILDING
\$23,285,000 OF ROADS TOLD
BY HIGHWAY BODY ENGINEER

Program Under Way One of Largest of Any State, B. H. Piepmeyer Says in Talk to Associated Engineers.

Missouri now has under way one of the largest road-building programs of any State, B. H. Piepmeyer, chief engineer of the State Highway Commission, said, in an address last night before the Associated Engineering Societies of St. Louis at the Engineers' Club.

The State has under contract he explained, \$23,285,000 worth of road work, consisting of 852 miles of grade and 109 miles of surface, divided into 538 independent sections, distributed in every county of the State. This work is principally on the 7600-mile system provided for in the \$60,000,000 bond issue.

However, only \$7,481,500 of this work is to be paid for from the State bond issue, the remainder coming from funds under the McCulloch-Morgan law, Federal aid and county contracts. Contracts have been let for concreting 60 miles of the 1500-mile primary system, at a total cost of \$2,213,500. Some of this is on the Manchester road, St. Louis County, for the southwestern route and some on the Kansas City route in St. Charles County.

\$15,000,000 Program for 1923.

Piepmeyer said the State is authorized the highway department to sell \$10,000,000 of bonds during 1922. This it has done and has requested \$5,000,000 of bonds for 1923. The department now has under way plans for placing the full amount of the \$15,000,000 of bonds under contract before active construction work begins in the spring. When this is done, the department will have over \$30,000,000 under contract. This is a tremendous program, but one which the department feels it can carry out successfully and with considerable more economy than if a small program were undertaken.

"It will be noted that a large volume of earth work is under way. This sort of a program is necessary to make full preparation for a large scale surfacing program which will follow, and which the public sentiment is demanding. Extensive grading bridging is being done at this time; also preparation of the state roads for a more efficient and effective program of maintenance which the department is now undertaking."

Road Marking Systems.

In addition to the construction and maintenance program, the department has under way the numbering and marking of the entire State system of roads. The marking of each mile of the State road on which is mounted an elliptical cast-iron plate, containing the number of the road, each crossroad, and other conspicuous intermediate points will be marked so that the public will be able to follow the best route to its objective. The north and south roads will be marked with odd numbers, beginning on the west side of the State and numbering towards the east. The even numbers will be used on the east and west routes and numbered from the north towards the south. The low numbers on orange backgrounds and are used to read, day and night. The route marked on the Manchester road, No. 12, which will follow the Capital Highway, by way of Jefferson City, to Kansas City, two routes are marked on the Charles road—No. 2, the St. Louis-Kansas City "Main Line," and No. 9, the St. Louis-Wentville-Hannibal route.

Inspectors on Each Job.

"A resident engineer or inspector is placed on each piece of work to check the material that enters the road or bridge and to see that all phases of State work are handled in full compliance with the plans, specifications and contract."

"With this kind of organization, the department is able to handle a very large volume of work and to carefully watch all operations, to insure the people of this State that they are getting full value for every dollar invested."

Markers such as those Piepmeyer referred to have been placed on the St. Charles and Manchester roads in the county. They have black figures on orange backgrounds and are used to read, day and night. The route marked on the Manchester road, No. 12, which will follow the Capital Highway, by way of Jefferson City, to Kansas City, two routes are marked on the Charles road—No. 2, the St. Louis-Kansas City "Main Line," and No. 9, the St. Louis-Wentville-Hannibal route.

To itemize such expenses, Hackmann said, was not required of heads of departments, but he made itemized statements of such expenses.

When the session adjourned last night, there was under consideration a resolution of the American Association of Auditors, an employee in the Auditor's office for a short time in 1922. The committee has been told that Hackmann increased the salary of Miss Stewart \$50 a month, then demanded of her that she give him the \$50, and that she did so. Hackmann was not questioned about this matter but was instructed to have for the committee today the vouchers showing payments to Miss Stewart.

Postoffice Appointments Deferred.

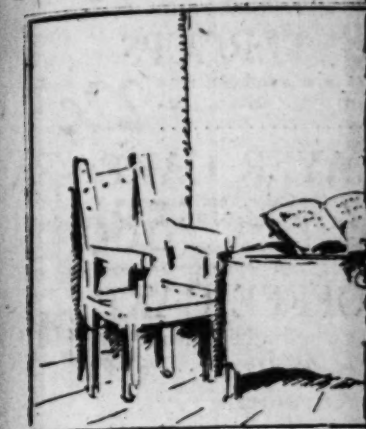
WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—More Democrats than Republicans have been appointed postmasters in many of the southern States during the last year, under President Harding's civil service order of May 10, 1922.

Postmaster-General Work announced today as the result of a canvass made after it had been charged in Congress that the order was operating to increase "political appointments" in Louisiana, since the Harding administration assumed office, 139 Democrats and 59 Republicans have been appointed.

British Teachers Accept Pay Cut.

AMERICAN FOR CH

Peace Treaty Signed at
1814, Leaving Each Country
Where It Was



The Treaty Was
By HENDRICK
Author of "The Signers"
(Copyright)

THE treaty of peace between the United States and Great Britain was signed at Ghent in Belgium August the American army at work upon their task of preparing to both parties. The treaty with the hope of getting a little tiny slice of the Northwest. But to penetrate into the states during that hope.

America demanded a promise future refrain from impressing England refused to give, but as Napoleon had arrived at the planning to reduce her navy anyway. That question, therefore, the treaty was signed, and where it had been at the beginning. A great deal of money had been had been killed or maimed each nation had been satisfied been expected.

Meanwhile, as the news of American continent, the British fourth number on their program of 50 vessels, carrying an armament of 1,000 guns, and came to the city of New Orleans.

The capture of New Orleans, Mississippi River, and the Mississippi Louisiana. The American to defend New Orleans and the Jackson of Tennessee. He had but they were mostly sharp Kentucky hills, men who had hit what they aimed at.

Had Pakenham advanced taken it, but he waited for reinforcements to erect a strong line village on the Mississippi between New Orleans and the Gulf.

Now if the telegraph cable laid, the battle of New Orleans, for it was two weeks Pakenham made his attack up result was most disastrous to the including Pakenham himself, were only eight killed and 13 to their ships, and soon after sailed away home, and Louisiana.

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Calumet; 16-oz. can 28c

TAPIOCA, Minute Package, 12c

RICE FANCY BLUE ROSE; WHOLE HEAD Pound, 6c

FRUITS STEWING FIGS; extra choice; white 16c
APRICOTS; choice quality 37c
PRUNES; 30-40; fancy Santa Clara 22c
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PIGGY WIGGLY

HEADS OF CLOSED WOOD RIVER BANK JOINTLY INDICTED

Madison County Grand Jury
Returns Charges Against
President, Chairman and
Former Cashier.

Three joint indictments against the president, the chairman of the Board of Directors and the former cashier of the First State and Savings Bank of Wood River, Ill., charging them with accepting deposits when they knew the bank was in a failing condition, were returned yesterday by the Madison County grand jury at Edwardsville.

An additional indictment was brought against I. C. Hatridge, now of the Yorkleigh Apartments, 4954 West Pine boulevard, alleging that while he was cashier of the institution he secreted assets totaling \$8500. On Jan. 13 Hatridge was indicted for alleged embezzlement of \$10,000.

Those Indicted.
The indictments returned yesterday against H. H. Clark, president; S. A. Beach, vice president and chairman of the board of directors; and Hatridge, make the accusation that they accepted deposits in two instances on Oct. 21 and in one instance on Oct. 23 last, and that they were aware of the bank's insolvent condition at that time, although it was not closed by the State Auditor until Nov. 17.

Investigation subsequently disclosed a shortage of \$160,000 represented by bad paper, the State Auditor reported. The bank carried \$200,000 of State deposits, but these were secured. Owing to liability of officers and directors and the real estate held by the bank, it has not been considered that the general depositors will suffer when affairs are cleaned up.

The complaining witnesses whose testimony resulted in the three joint indictments are Emil Krause, George Smith and Walter McLean, all of Wood River or vicinity. Smith made deposition that he deposited \$294 with the bank Oct. 21 and McLean claims he deposited \$53 on the same day. Krause deposited he left \$145 with the bank two days later.

Charge Against Hatridge.
In the separate indictment against Cashier Hatridge, six counts are made and the testimony of 12 witnesses was used. Although the charge was technically "secreting assets," it amounts to embezzlement if sustained.

The dates upon which it is alleged the three officers "had guilty knowledge of the bank's failing condition" fell about the time a rumor started in Wood River that Hatridge had resigned. His resignation actually took effect Nov. 1. About Oct. 21 a mild run on the bank began. It did not reach alarming proportions until Nov. 19, when calls for aid were sent to surrounding banks. By Nov. 17 the institution's cash reserve had been so depleted that it could no longer meet withdrawals.

Hatridge said on the occasion of his first indictment and at other times that he did not take a cent from the bank and has accused other officers and directors of seeking to make him "the goat." Clark and Beach have denied responsibility for the bank's failure.

Circuit Judge Gilham of Edwardsville appointed E. J. Verley of Alton as receiver for the First State and Savings Bank Tuesday. Verley was the choice of the directors and depositors. An attempt will be made to collect some of the bad paper and thaw the bank's "frozen assets." Dates of reopening and settlement have been announced several times, but the State Auditor's office has made no estimate on the time it will take to straighten out the tangle.

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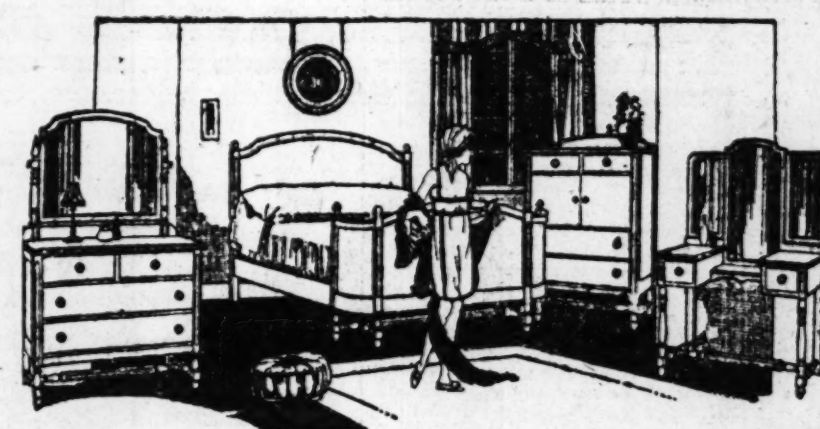
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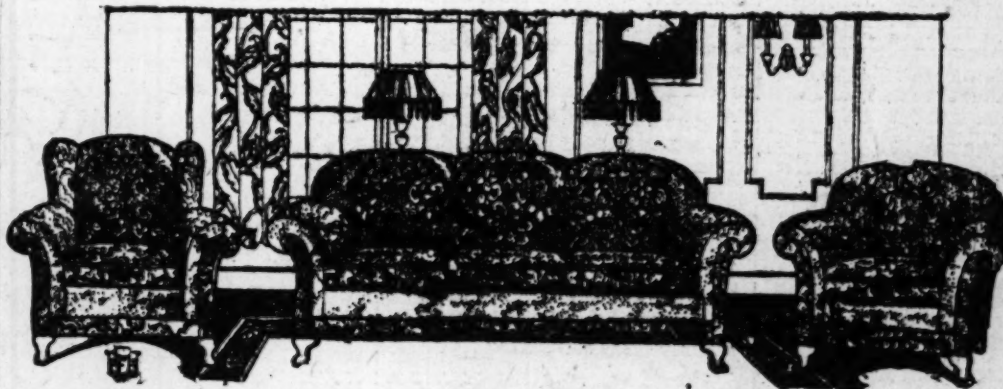
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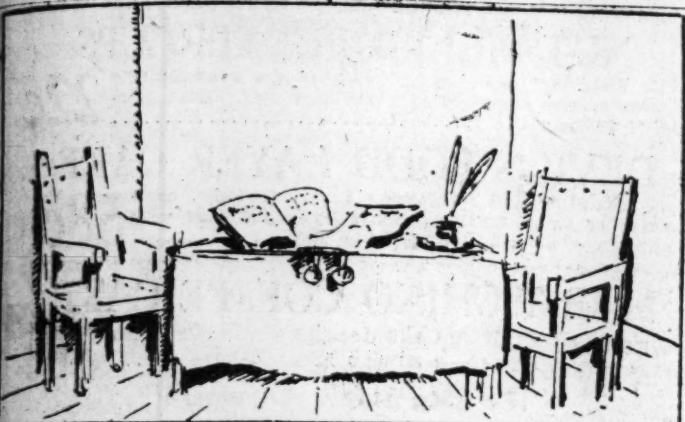


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AMERICAN HISTORY FOR CHILDREN

Peace Treaty Signed at Ghent, Belgium, Dec. 24, 1814, Leaving Each Country Officially Just Where It Was Before War.



The Treaty Was Signed at Ghent.
By HENDRIK VAN LOON
Author of "The Story of Mankind."

THE treaty of peace between the United States and England was signed at Ghent in Belgium on Dec. 24, 1814. Ever since August the American and English commissioners had been at work upon their task of preparing a paper which would be acceptable to both parties. The English had come to the meeting with the hope of getting a little bit of territory from us, just a tiny slice of the Northwest. But the failure of the English armies to penetrate into the states during the summer of 1814 had blasted that hope.

America demanded a promise from England that she would in future refrain from impressing American seamen. This promise England refused to give, but as the European war was nearly over (Napoleon had arrived at the island of Elba on May 4), she was planning to reduce her navy and would not need so many sailors, anyway. That question, therefore, would take care of itself. And so the treaty was signed, and it left each country officially just where it had been at the beginning of the war.

A great deal of money had been spent, and a great many men had been killed or maimed for life, but the official honor of each nation had been satisfied, and that was all that could have been expected.

Meanwhile, as the news of the peace had not yet reached the American continent, the British were attempting to carry out the fourth number on their program, the invasion of Louisiana. A fleet of 50 vessels, carrying an army of 16,000 men under the very distinguished Major-General Sir Edward Pakenham, sailed up the Gulf of Mexico, and came to anchor in Lake Borgne, just east of the city of New Orleans.

The capture of New Orleans would mean, the capture of the Mississippi River, and the Mississippi River would sooner or later mean Louisiana. The American commander, whose task it was to defend New Orleans and the lower Mississippi, was Gen. Andrew Jackson of Tennessee. He had at his command only 6,000 men, but they were mostly sharpshooters from the Tennessee and Kentucky hills, men who had handled a rifle from babyhood, and hit what they aimed at.

Had Pakenham advanced at once upon the city he might have taken it, but he waited for reinforcements, which gave Gen. Jackson time to erect a strong line of earthworks, at Chalmette, a little village on the Mississippi between New Orleans and Lake Borgne.

Now if the telegraph had been invented, and the Atlantic cable laid, the battle of New Orleans would never have been fought, for it was two weeks after the signing of peace when Gen. Pakenham made his attack upon the American defenses. The result was most disastrous to the English. Over 2,000 British soldiers, including Pakenham himself, were killed, while the American losses were only eight killed and 13 wounded. The British marched back to their ships, and soon after the news of peace came and they sailed away home, and Louisiana was saved for the United States.

(To Be Continued.)

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William Leach Refused Permission to Put His Question to House of Commons.

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LONDON, Feb. 15.—The Speaker yesterday refused to permit William

Leach to put the following question to the House of Commons:

"Whether the Prime Minister has received any requests from Egyptian citizens for permission to ransack the tombs of British Kings and Queens at Westminster Abbey, or if the British Museum authorities have stipulated that the relics, coffins and bodies shall be handed to them, and what reply he proposes to make."

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By the Associated Press.
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WOMAN ON EVERY SCHOOL BOARD
One of Goals of Illinois Women Voters in April.
By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—The Illinois League of Women Voters, in the Illinois April elections, will have as one

of its campaign goals "a woman on every school board," according to an announcement by headquarters.
"The April school elections offer the first opportunity to make progress toward this end," the announcement said. "Women are always counted upon to be interested in

schools and without question they consider education the most important function of government. However, a count of women members of school boards reveals a surprising predominance of men. The elections should place a woman on every board."

DR. A. ROSS HILL RESIGNS POSITION WITH RED CROSS
Former President of Missouri U. Had Been in Charge of Foreign Operations.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Dr. A. Ross Hill, formerly president of the University of Missouri, has resigned as Vice Chairman of the American Red Cross in charge of foreign operations. A statement issued by the Red Cross yesterday said that Dr. Hill had contemplated resigning for several months but postponed his retirement to undertake new relief work in Greece for the refugees from Asia Minor. On his return from Greece Tuesday he announced his resignation, which the executive committee accepted in a resolution praising his services.

Reporting to the committee on conditions in Greece, Dr. Hill told virtually the same story as was contained in an interview with him published in the Post-Dispatch yesterday.
"All the clothing for refugees is furnished by the American Red Cross," said Dr. Hill. "and with the steady stream of clothing that has been forwarded by American Red Cross chapters since Thanksgiving, the needs of refugees have been pretty well met. However, the approach of spring, which begins about March 1, lighter clothing is needed and it is the lighter kind that now should be sent."

Dr. Hill said that he had "worked himself out of a job" meaning that the Red Cross foreign operations had now reached a point where they could be handled with only routine supervision. When he took up the Red Cross work, he said, he did so on the understanding that he would carry it only temporarily.
After winding up his affairs here Dr. Hill said he would go to Kansas City to make his home there, but he was not ready to announce his personal plans.

RESIGNATION OF M'KENDREE COLLEGE PRESIDENT ACCEPTED
The Rev. Dr. G. W. McCammon Says He Expects to Leave Lebanon, Ill., Soon.
The resignation of the Rev. Dr. G. W. McCammon, for nearly four years president of McKendree College, at Lebanon, Ill., was accepted yesterday by the Board of Trustees. A committee, headed by John M. Mitchell of Mount Carmel, was appointed to make a recommendation of a successor within two or three weeks. Prof. E. P. Baker, dean of the college, was appointed acting president.

Dr. McCammon refused today to discuss his resignation. It is known the attendance has not been in keeping with the size and excellence of the faculty, a condition ascribed to lack of cooperation on the part of Methodist ministers, the college being a Methodist institution. The situation was discussed by the board last June, but no action was taken. Dr. McCammon tendered his resignation a month ago, but was persuaded to remain until yesterday.

Dr. McCammon said he had not decided upon his future work, but expected to leave Lebanon, Ill., before taking the presidency of the college. He was in charge of the Wesleyan Foundation, in connection with the University of Illinois, and before that served churches in East St. Louis, Mount Vernon and other Southern Illinois cities.

PLAN TO INVOKE INITIATIVE FOR VOTE ON CITY EXPANSION
Greater St. Louis Conference Decides to Circulate Petitions for Constitutional Amendment.
The Greater St. Louis conference, an organization created primarily to work for expansion of the city, has resolved to submit an initiative proposition on the subject to the voters of the State. The vote would be State-wide, though only the city and St. Louis County would be affected, because the proposal would be for an amendment to the Constitution.

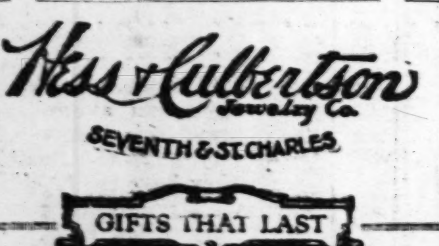
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(b) I Wish I Could Shimmy
Like My Sister Kate
(c) Choo-Choo Blues
(d) Eleanor

Accompanied by Marie Stanton.

3—Orchestra.

(a) The World Is Waiting for
the Sunrise
(b) I Wish I Could Shimmy
Like My Sister Kate
(c) Choo-Choo Blues
(d) Eleanor

Accompanied by Marie Stanton.

4—Orchestra.

(a) The World Is Waiting for
the Sunrise
(b) I Wish I Could Shimmy
Like My Sister Kate
(c) Choo-Choo Blues
(d) Eleanor

Accompanied by Marie Stanton.

5—Orchestra.

(a) The World Is Waiting for
the Sunrise
(b) I Wish I Could Shimmy
Like My Sister Kate
(c) Choo-Choo Blues
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Accompanied by Marie Stanton.

6—Orchestra.

(a) The World Is Waiting for
the Sunrise
(b) I Wish I Could Shimmy
Like My Sister Kate
(c) Choo-Choo Blues
(d) Eleanor

Accompanied by Marie Stanton.

7—Orchestra.

(a) The World Is Waiting for
the Sunrise
(b) I Wish I Could Shimmy
Like My Sister Kate
(c) Choo-Choo Blues
(d) Eleanor

Accompanied by Marie Stanton.

8—Orchestra.

(a) The World Is Waiting for
the Sunrise
(b) I Wish I Could Shimmy
Like My Sister Kate
(c) Choo-Choo Blues
(d) Eleanor

Accompanied by Marie Stanton.

9—Orchestra.

(a) The World Is Waiting for
the Sunrise
(b) I Wish I Could Shimmy
Like My Sister Kate
(c) Choo-Choo Blues
(d) Eleanor

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10—Orchestra.

(a) The World Is Waiting for
the Sunrise
(b) I Wish I Could Shimmy
Like My Sister Kate
(c) Choo-Choo Blues
(d) Eleanor

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11—Orchestra.

(a) The World Is Waiting for
the Sunrise
(b) I Wish I Could Shimmy
Like My Sister Kate
(c) Choo-Choo Blues
(d) Eleanor

Accompanied by Marie Stanton.

12—Orchestra.

(a) The World Is Waiting for
the Sunrise
(b) I Wish I Could Shimmy
Like My Sister Kate
(c) Choo-Choo Blues
(d) Eleanor

Accompanied by Marie Stanton.

13—Orchestra.

(a) The World Is Waiting for
the Sunrise
(b) I Wish I Could Shimmy
Like My Sister Kate
(c) Choo-Choo Blues
(d) Eleanor

Accompanied by Marie Stanton.

14—Orchestra.

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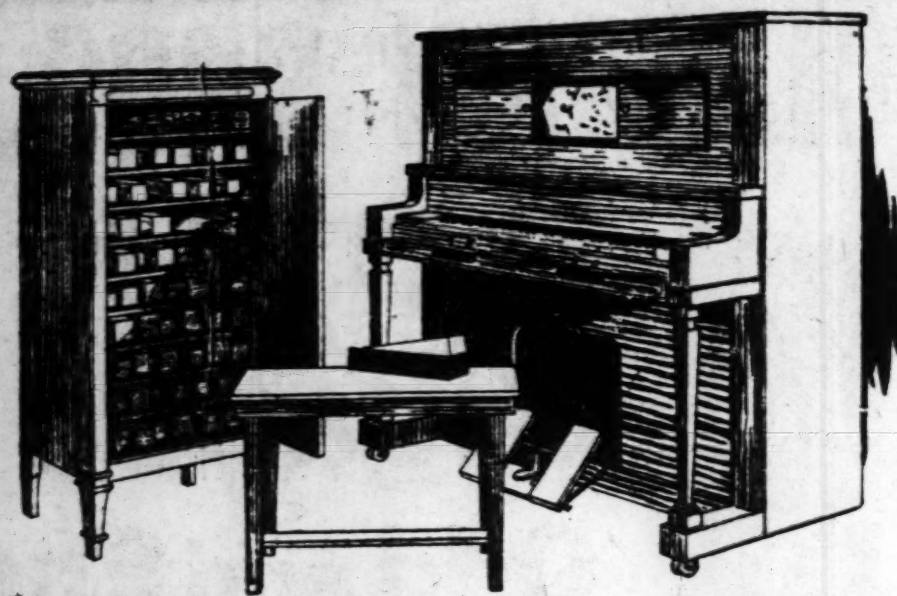
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It's little wonder then, that every cold

finds you suffering with torturing backache, rheumatic pains, headaches, dizziness and annoying bladder irregularities.

Don't wait until the trouble becomes serious. Realize that your kidneys are overworked at such times and need assistance. Get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills today and give your weakened kidneys the help they need. Prompt action now may spare you some serious kidney sickness. Doan's Kidney Pills are used the world over. They have helped thousands and should help you. Ask your neighbor!

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FARM BLOC IN HOUSE HURTS THE DEMOCRATS

Party Rule Threatened by Movement—Farmers Aid Whitaker in Gaining Point.

By the Jefferson City Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 15.—Democratic control of the House is threatened by the farm bloc movement. This condition, suspected for some time, became evident yesterday when enough Democrats were weaned away from the majority by their farm bloc ties to enable Representative O. B. Whitaker, Republican floor leader, to put a bill on the calendar for engrossment over an adverse report by a committee.

The vote was along strictly party lines except for a few members and sympathizers of the farm bloc who went with their farmer friends to help Whitaker. This gave Whitaker the club with which he beat down the Democratic organization in the House.

There are 84 Democrats and 66 Republicans in the House. A few absentees and a few defections, however, soon reduce the proud machine to defeated junk. For the Republicans, city and county alike, get together and go down the line behind Whitaker when they see a chance to thrash the majority.

The bloc is by far the most cohesive unit in the House, for it meets twice nearly every legislative day, once in open meeting in the lounge room of the House in the morning to hear one or more speakers before the House convenes, and usually about 6:30 or 7 o'clock in the evening before the night sessions of committees start. These night meetings, held in a room in the Capitol isolated from the legislative halls, are for the farmers only, and they provide the real working hour for the bloc. Claiming 41 of the 154 votes in the House, moving spirits of their coalition place the peculiar interests of their guild above partisan matters and the two-day meeting system evolved by the leaders is fast bringing about attachments which threaten to prove more binding than fear of the party lash.

Caucus Rule Real Test.
The skirmish yesterday was not a crucial test for the warring rural Democrats, for it was a slambang engagement which rose suddenly out of the mist, as it were, without time to sketch thoughtful battle lines. The real test, if it ever comes, will be when the Democratic organization of the House attempts to wield the caucus sledge. There are those who believe that this never will be done through fear of the Democratic leaders that their farm bloc members then would openly rebel, which would bring complete collapse of the majority control.

The fight yesterday was of the type which enables Whitaker to show his unyielding combativeness at its best. The Committee on Education, of which Representative Whitliffe of Cass County, a Democrat, is chairman, had reported out unfavorably three bills, two of them by Whitaker and one by Representative Jackson of Vernon County.

Whitaker contended he had had no opportunity to argue the merits of his bills, and offered a resolution to place them and the Jackson measure on the calendar for engrossment, despite the committee's recommendation.

Whitaker Forces a Vote.
Democratic Caucus Chairman Roney moved that the bills be referred to the committee to give Whitaker a chance to be heard. But no, Whitaker knew his rights and intended to have them, he said, and he wanted action by the House on his resolution, charging that he had not been fairly treated. Speaker Hoyer, Roney and others tried to mollify the minority leader and explained how the situation had arisen. But Whitaker reiterated and reiterated his demand for a vote of the House. And he got it not once but three or four times. He got one bill, a measure dealing with the conditions under which candidates for teachers' certificates shall be examined, on the calendar. The two others failed to get the constitutional majorities required by narrow margins, because Republicans, thinking the fight won, had walked out of the chamber on one mission or another. The second bill lacked one vote, the third five.

Among the Democrats who went with Whitaker on the question were Representatives Bales of Shannon, Whitecotton of Monroe, Galloway of Howell, Armstrong of Pulaski and Lehr of Carter County.

But for the necessity of receiving 75 votes, all of the bills would have been placed on the calendar, as the two which failed to get that number had big majorities.

And so the Democrats were unable to sustain one of their committee chairmen, in the first fight of the kind to arise.

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Colds Are Dangerous
Rapid Relief
Taken at once gives relief in 12 to 48 hours. Prevents complications.
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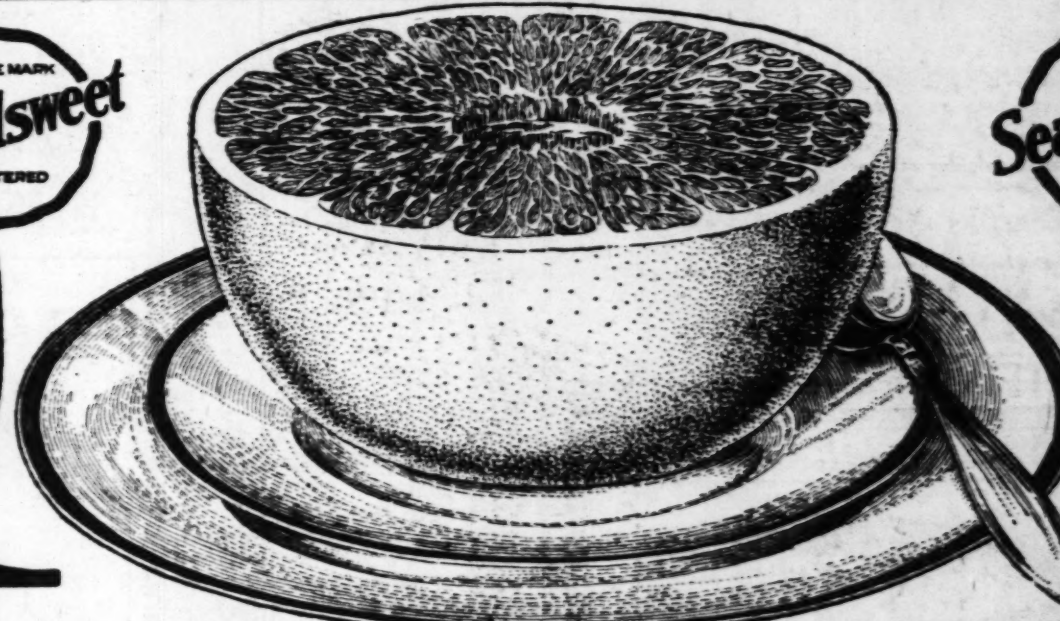
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—we offer you a real Candy bargain—something that you will appreciate and that will set the town talking.

Chocolates and Bonbons lb., 25c

Assorted hard and cream centers in a coating of rich, high-grade chocolate.

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Sealdsweet Florida Grapefruit

The ambrosia and nectar of modern life—a touch of semi-tropic sunshine sealed in globes of gold for your delectation.

As appetizing and as healthful as they are delightful. Rich in the vitamins which aid the digestion of other foods.

Once so scarce and high-priced as to be a luxury, these food-fruits are now grown in quantities affording plenty for all.

Fine for breakfast, good at luncheon and excellent with dinner, they may be served in a wide variety of appetizing forms.

DEMONSTRATION DISPLAY FRIDAY and SATURDAY

There are right ways and wrong ways of preparing and serving Sealdsweet Florida grapefruit.

The right ways will be demonstrated and explained at our store on Friday and Saturday of this week.

Come to see the showing of Sealdsweet grapefruit right from some of the fine citrus groves of Florida.

Learn how genuinely good they are when properly prepared and in how many ways they may be eaten.

FREE, SOUVENIR AND BOOK "Florida's Food-Fruits"

Every visitor to this demonstration display will be given free an attractive souvenir, containing directions for cutting and serving Sealdsweet grapefruit. Also coupon-card good for free copy of valuable book of recipes, "Florida's Food-Fruits", filled with helpful information and illustrated in natural colors.

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Never-failing treats for the taste. Heavy with juice, delicious in flavor, sweet and satisfying. Always good inside, whatever the outside appearance.

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Does the Tax-Collector call at night?

The tax which nobody can afford to pay is the tax which is assessed against health.

When nerves are a-jangle and the night's rest is disturbed, health is paying a tax which cannot safely be continued.

People who drink coffee and tea often find there's a tax to pay for the nerve-stimulation they've had from the drug, caffeine, which coffee and tea contain. Night-time restlessness, daytime drowsiness, nervous irritation and headaches are common forms of the first payments.

There's an easy and delightful way to avoid the tax, through Postum instead of coffee or tea. Postum is fully satisfying to taste, with all the comfort and pleasing flavor which a hot, mealtime beverage can give—and without any possibility of harm to nerves or digestion. As many cups as you like with any meal.

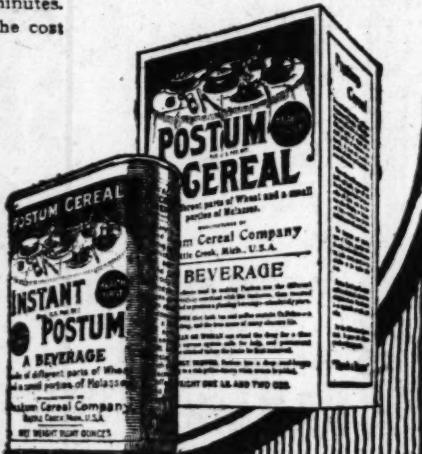
It would be wise for you to stop tax-payments to the coffee and tea drug, and enjoy the kindness and comfort of Postum. Begin today, with an order to your grocer.

Postum comes in two forms: Instant Postum (in tins) prepared instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages), for those who prefer to make the drink while the meal is being prepared; made by boiling fully 20 minutes. The two forms are equally delicious; and the cost is only about 1/5c per cup.

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Sensational Underprice Sale of New Spring Hats

\$10 & \$15 Values

\$6.45

- Twisted Visca
- Timbo Hair
- Allover Straws
- Flower Trimming
- Embroidery
- Smart Bows



Just a special price for Friday only, to boost our February business, and well worth your early attendance.

\$3 150 SPRING HATS **\$3**
Formerly Priced \$5, \$7.50 and \$10—
For Quick Clearance Friday

Special Values

For Friday and Saturday, these tongue Colonials, in patent, satin and black kid; regular \$7 and \$8 values

\$5.50



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RETALIATORY INSURANCE BILL BRINGS OUT LOBBY

Fight Renewed Over Measure Which Was Defeated Two Years Ago.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 15.—The fight between the older insurance companies of Eastern States and the Missouri insurance companies, which has been revived and has brought to Jefferson City a powerful lobby of insurance interests. The fight is over the retaliatory insurance bill, which was defeated two years ago. The immediate purpose of the big lobby is to appear at a meeting of the Senate Insurance Committee this afternoon, when the retaliatory bill, introduced by the Casey of Kansas City will be up for hearing. The Casey bill reads: Whenever any insurance carrier of this State shall possess sufficient assets and otherwise reasonably comply with the laws of any other State, with respect to the licensing of insurance carriers, and notwithstanding such compliance, shall have its license canceled, notwithstanding its sufficiency of assets and such reasonable compliance with law, then the Superintendent of Insurance of this State shall have discretionary power to deny licenses to any or all insurance carriers of such State, or to cancel any such licenses already granted.

Effect of Proposed Law.
The effect of the law would be to give the Missouri Superintendent of Insurance the power to bar from Missouri all insurance companies with home offices in a State the Superintendent of which had barred any Missouri company.

Among those who have arrived in Jefferson City to advocate the passage of the bill are: Charles G. Revelle, former Supreme Court Justice and former Superintendent of Insurance, who is attorney for the International Life Insurance Co. of St. Louis; Alfred L. Hart, of St. Louis, former Superintendent of Insurance; Walter Chorn of Kansas City, an attorney, who formerly was Superintendent of Insurance, and a score or more of agents for Missouri companies.

Frank M. McDavid of Springfield, former State Senator, is on the ground looking after the interests of the outside insurance companies and to oppose the bill. There are also a number of State agents of outside companies and insurance agents from various parts of the State.

Reciprocal Companies.
Representatives of reciprocal companies, who were the leaders in the fight for the bill at the 1927 Legislature, have not made their presence known if they are here, as they probably are.

Two years ago, it was charged by the outside companies that the fight was one of reciprocity against reciprocity companies, and that the purpose of the bill was to compel the Eastern States to admit Missouri reciprocity to do business there on penalty of ousting the Eastern companies from Missouri.

The attitude of the Missouri companies is that many of them are being barred by Eastern States to prevent competition with the companies of those states and that Missouri companies are being discriminated against. One Missouri insurance man said today that nearly all states except Missouri have retaliatory laws and that all the Eastern States have them.

WIFE SHOTS HUSBAND IN GROIN IN FUSS-OVER SOAP WRAPPERS

Woman Said to Have Returned to Butcher Shop After She Had Eluded Meat Cleaver.

Ignatz Swagulski, 35 years old, a butcher of 5825 Theodore avenue, is at the city hospital with a bullet wound in his groin inflicted yesterday afternoon by his wife, Mrs. Martha Swagulski, 42, in a fight over soap wrappers.

Swagulski had demanded that his stepson, Edwin, 19, turn over to him some soap wrappers he had been saving for a premium. He knocked the boy down and when Mrs. Swagulski interfered he chased her from the shop with a meat cleaver.

Mrs. Swagulski later got a revolver from a room behind the shop and shot her husband. She claims self-defense. Swagulski says she shot him without provocation. She is on bond.

DR. BELL'S Pine-Tar Honey



Eases Coughs—Breaks Colds

30c buys a bottle of this genuine syrup of pine-tar and honey at any drug store. It relieves sore throats, soothes dry, irritated throats and breaks up colds. For a cough remedy it is unsurpassed. For a throat lozenge it is unsurpassed. For a cough remedy it is unsurpassed. For a throat lozenge it is unsurpassed.

Art Needlework



Did You Know

that when nerves are fagged and on a ragged edge, sitting with your fancy work taking stitch by stitch, watching something grow under your hands, has a wonderfully soothing, calming effect?

Try it. Just lots of pretty things are here and most simple to complete.

At Special Prices—

Pillowcases	75c	Hot Roll Covers	10c
Hemmed, stamped; the pair		Stamped; each	
Infants' Dresses	75c	Buffet Set	49c
Made up and stamped; each		Tan; large size; stamped; each	

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EAST OF NINTH

WE DO HAND EMBROIDERING

Briarcliff Worsteds are English made

A Suit of Briarcliff worsteds custom tailored.

\$60

Good dressers in England and the world over wear Briarcliff worsteds. Weavers call it a double-twist woolen, soft, yet finished; entirely different from the English tweed.

While made in England, so wonderful are the shades, we imagine the weavers caught their colors from the lowering skies, the heather, and the half lights of the neighboring Scotland moors. For a suit decidedly above the usual we suggest a Briarcliff woolen hand tailored to your order.

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UNION HOUSE FURNISHING CO. 1124-26-28-30 OLIVE ST.

Friday-Saturday Last 2 Days

of the Union's Gigantic SALE OF THE Specialty HOUSE FURNISHING CO. TREMENDOUS FURNITURE STOCKS!

Hurry! Friday and Saturday are the last two days of the Union's Gigantic Sale of the Specialty's tremendous Furniture stocks. It is your last opportunity to share in these phenomenal values. Do not fail to attend. Special Liberal Credit Terms in effect.

\$22 Simmons Bed & Spring
This genuine Simmons Bed has heavy continuous posts and flat fillers. Finished in Vertic. Marlin. Complete with strong, sturdy spring. On sale at **\$14.25**
\$1.50 Cash—75c Weekly

\$180 Overstuffed Living-Room Suite
This beautiful Overstuffed Suite is upholstered in a combination of velour and tapestry and has all-Marshall spring-filled loose-cushion seats. Suite consists of 34-inch Chesterfield armchair and arm rocker. A huge bargain in this gigantic sale of the Specialty's Quality Furniture. **\$126**
\$1.25 Cash—50c Weekly

\$22.50 Massive Day-Bed
Massively constructed wood finished end. Day-bed; has an all-steel link fabric spring and opens into a full-sized bed, as shown. On sale at **\$13.50**
\$1.25 Cash—50c Weekly

\$7.00 Link Fabric Spring
This link fabric spring is sturdily constructed and has strong helical at each end. Fully guaranteed. On sale at **\$4.75**
75c Cash—50c Weekly

\$35 Simmons Brass Bed
Genuine Simmons heavy 2-inch post Brass Bed; has heavy fillers and big brass caps on posts; beautifully satin finished. Priced in this sale at **\$23.50**
\$2 Cash—75c Weekly

\$175 5-Piece Windsor Bedroom Suite
If you are seeking a quality Bedroom Suite at an inexpensive price, they by all means see this one. This Suite is well constructed, charmingly designed, and large in proportion. Consists of large-sized dresser, graceful bow-end bed, spacious chiffonier, dressing table and bench. **\$97.50**
\$5.00 Cash—\$1.00 Weekly

\$75 Massive Davenport Suite
One of the feature offerings of this gigantic sale. This Suite is massively constructed and upholstered in high-grade brown Spanish imitation leather. Divan opens into full-sized bed. **\$46**
\$5.00 Cash—\$1.00 Weekly

\$210 10-Piece Dining-Room Suite
Think of it! 10 pieces of Dining-Room Furniture for only **\$128**. This Suite is large in proportion, excellently constructed and elegantly finished. Comprises large-size 8-leg buffet with mirror back, 6-foot extension table, serving table, china cabinet and 6 leather-seat chairs. Priced in this gigantic sale at only **\$128**
\$12.80 Cash—\$2.50 Weekly

\$155 Combination Range
Full Size, All-Blue Porcelain
\$92.50
\$1.25 Weekly

Rugs and Floorcoverings
Room-Size Axminster Rugs: in beautiful original patterns and elegant quality **\$32.50**
Room-Size Tapestry Brussels **\$19.75**
Rugs, bargain at **\$8.75**
Beautiful 9x12 Congoleum Art Squares: although prices have advanced, you can still procure one of these Congoleum Art Squares, without borders, at the **\$8.75** extremely low sale price of

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\$37.50
Large Size, Well Constructed
\$65 Cedar-Lined Chiffonier
\$3.75 Cash Delivers It to You! Large size, spacious Chiffonier; unique hanging compartments lined with genuine Tennessee red cedar and has sliding transoms coffee hanger, two large drawers and hat box; has two doors with brass-plated mirrors; comes in either solid oak or walnut finish. On sale at the extremely low price of **\$37.50**

Glove Silk Vests

Women's medium and heavy weight Glove Silk Vests that will give splendid service in spite of being termed "seconds," pink and orchid, with plain tailored bodice top. Sizes 26 to 42. Seconds of \$2 to \$2.50. **\$1.50** grades—Friday. **Third Floor**

75c Leather Belts

A newly-arrived assortment of women's Patent Leather Belts with bright or dull finish; also Oriental designs and many other Spring novelties. All sizes and widths. Special Friday..... **45c** **Main Floor**

Famous—Barr Co. Felt

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted.

And Friday Special Day With Your Visit D

Women and Misses Will Find This a Remarkable Group of
Midseason Dresses

Originally \$29.75 to \$45

Friday **\$20** Sizes 14 to 44

Charming street and afternoon frocks, the majority midseason models and appropriate for Spring wear. There are modes for women and misses, including blouse, panel, draped and straightline effects, and while there is wider choice in navy and black frocks, brighter shades are included.

Tailored frocks of tricotine or Poiret twill; afternoon models of Canton crepe, matelasse, satin, crepe satin or smart combinations.

Women's and Misses' Winter Coats

Originally \$39.75 to \$55, Friday at **\$25**

Plain, embroidered and fur-trimmed coats of popular weaves and all silk lined; sports and wrap models are prominent and there are wanted colors as well as black, brown and navy. Sizes 14 to 38. **Fourth Floor**

Velour and Tinsel-Brocaded Spring Ribbons

\$2.50 and \$3 Values

Friday, **\$1.39** Yard....

Beautiful new Ribbons of domestic and imported kinds; many effects, including the very popular gold and silver Ribbons with black brocaded patterns; 4 to 7 inches wide and suitable for trimmings and accessories.

—and as this is a season for Ribbons we will take prompt advantage of this selling. **Main Floor**



Friday—We Offer Odd Lots of Tots' & Infants' Wear

Originally \$3.95 to \$8.95 for... **\$2** Infants' to 6-Year Sizes

Sold garments, including sacques, sweaters, dresses, rompers and suits, as well as white fur carriage robes, fancy quilts and eiderdown robes. Sizes broken.

Baby Boys' Suits
Button-on-waist made in regulation styles; also, smocked and embroidered; all of serviceable colored wash fabrics; sizes 2 to 6 years; \$1.50 and \$2.00. **95c**

Gingham Frocks
In solid colors or checked patterns; some with bloomers to match, some smocked others with appliqued figures. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Special at **\$1.39** **Third Floor**



A Special Purchase Brings Mothers This

Sale of Girls' Dresses

In Two Unusual Groups at **\$1.85** and **\$2.39** Six Styles—As Pictured

Hundreds of new Spring frocks, just unpacked and values extraordinary. The styles are so very smart and choice of materials, colors and trimmings so broad that many mothers will buy several. Sizes 7 to 14.

Styles
Long-waisted, panel, straightline, side-fastening and sash models.

Materials
Domestic and imported gingham, chambrays and many combinations of fabrics.

Colors
Solid shades, checks and combinations in blue, pink, maize, green, orchid, red and brown. **Fourth Floor**

An Unusual Selling—Made Possible by a Special Purchase of
5000 Pairs White Gauntlets

\$1 and \$1.25 Values... 38c

Two styles of chamois suede gloves, made by one of America's foremost concerns—strap-wrist and shirred-wrist effects with heavy self or black embroidered backs—Gloves that will fit perfectly. All sizes.

An extraordinary opportunity, making it best to buy several pairs. **Main Floor**



Regularly 50c Assorted Chocolates

Friday, **33c** Pound...

Numerous kinds of centers, all deliciously flavored and covered with sweet chocolate—a "special" you will want. **Main Floor**

Friday—An Offering of Importance—Men's Soiled Silk Shirts

Originally \$5 to \$6.50, Choice at

\$3.50

Men should choose early from this lot of 500 Silk Shirts, soiled from handling, but of good quality. Shirts in neat stripes and desirable patterns. Sizes 14 to 17. **Main Floor**



An Offering of Attractive Sanitary Scrap Baskets

\$1.00 Value, at 69c

Excellent from a decorative as well as a practical standpoint are these Scrap Baskets of tin, in black or dark blue moire effects with gold designs; they are suitable for any room. **Third Floor**



An Unusual Group of Smart \$3.50 Vanity Boxes

Friday **\$2.75** for....

Choice of three styles of patent leather covered Vanity Boxes; lined with silk and having dependable lock, fitted with large mirror, comb, coin purse, compact case and lipstick holder. **Main Floor**



A Special Friday Selling of "Rengo Belt" Corsets

\$3, \$3.50 and \$4 Values... \$1.79 Of Best Cut.

To secure these high-grade Corsets, especially designed and heavily boned for stout figures, will appeal to many who are acquainted with their splendid features. All Corsets are of excellent cut and will give long service.

A variety of models, but a limited quantity of each; sizes broken. **Third Floor**

Women Will Be Attracted to These Lace Clocked Hose

Friday, **\$1.95**—Irregulars of **\$2.85** Grade

Full fashioned, heavy black silk Hose; in several attractive designs of lace clocks, of lustrous quality, with lace garter tops, and though termed "irregulars" these Hose will please. All sizes. **Main Floor**

Women May Choose From 1400 Soiled Sample Cotton Undergarments

Special Friday **69c**

Neatly made Undergarments of all-white, white trimmed with colors and pastel shades, from which you should anticipate all needs.

Muslin Petticoats with embroidered flounces, tailored chemises, gowns in regular and extra sizes, corset covers and drawers, attractively trimmed, and two-piece sets of dimity and batiste; each piece priced separately. **Third Floor**



Select Several of These Tungsten Bulbs

35c Value—Friday at 27c

Clear pear-shape Tungsten Bulbs, in 10, 25, 40, 50 and 60 watt sizes. At this special price many will secure the needed Bulbs for the home. **Main Floor**



Tomorrow Is the Second Day of the Sale of Men's Spring Hats

\$5 to \$7 Sample Hats

Choice at **\$2.85**

Newest Styles Soft Hats and Derbies.

Under ordinary circumstances there is not a Hat in this entire lot that would sell for less than \$3. Through a very fortunate purchase we secured the sample Hats of a well-known Eastern maker at important concessions, consequently we are offering some of the season's very biggest Hat values.

The Soft Hats come in the new mixtures and smooth finishes of green, tan, gray, pearl, brown and black. Also black Derbies in new models. All sizes in the lot. **Main Floor**



A Most Extraordinary Sale of Boys' Wash Suits

Special Friday **\$1.00**

Sizes 3 to 8 years—Middy and Oliver Twist Styles

This one-day event is the ideal time for mothers to anticipate their sons' needs far in advance. These Suits are made in the popular Oliver Twist and middy styles, of reliable fabrics that will tub nicely; some are trimmed with braid on collars and emblems on sleeves, with round or sailor collars and ties.

In seven different plain and color combinations of blue, tan, green, gray, brown and white. **Second Floor**

A "Friday" Special Offering of Boys' \$1.00 Blouses

Priced at **59c**

Mothers! If your boys wear any of these sizes, this is your opportunity to profit. Collar-attached blouses of white corded madras; some with turn-back cuffs and button-down collar; in sizes 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 15 only. **Second Floor**

Hemstitched Table Sets

\$4.98 Values at \$3.89

Beautifully hemstitched damask sets, consisting of a 64x44-inch cloth and six napkins, all nicely finished with hemstitching.

\$1 Dresser Scarfs

Beautifully embroidered in blue designs and finished with scalloped edges; these Scarfs are 18x50 inches, and wonderful values at, each **79c** **Third Floor**

Special! Lace Curtains

\$2.50 and \$3 Values, at, Pair \$1.65

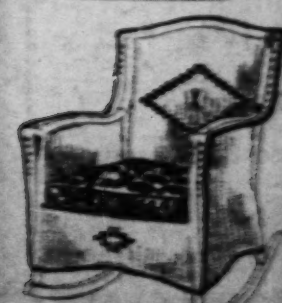
Attractive shadow-weave Lace Curtains, finished with scalloped edges or lace trimmed; neat alloy patterns in ivory or beige.

Included in the group are plain corded Scotch net effects. **Fifth Floor**

Karpen Bros. \$24

Special **\$13.75** For

A special purchase makes possible this offering of open built Chairs and Rockers, at such extreme savings. Woven fiber with a frosted brown finish, comfortable arms and high backs, fitted with tapestry or velvet plush springs, they are distinctive in appearance and select early to avoid disappointment, as the quantity is limited. **Fourth Floor**



SPECIALS

FRIDAY

Phone orders accepted and shipped on the following items:

Painted Pictures, \$1.00

Scapes framed in attractive art size 16x20 inches. **Sixth Floor**

Shoes, \$4.75

Light-lace Shoes with invisible eyelets medium English last. **Second Floor**

Cases, \$1.75

Writing Cases with strong straps and catches; 24-inch size. **Sixth Floor**

Embroideries, Yard, 10c

Edgings and semi-flouncings up and shown in attractive openwork. **Main Floor**

er Machines, \$55

Writing Machines; 5-drawer, drop-top, No. 44 round bobbin; guaranteed. **Sixth Floor**

Poplin, Yard, 29c

White Poplin, 27 inches wide, is de-midies, etc. **Third Floor**

Buffet Sets, \$6

6-inch burnished-finish fruit bowl flower design, and two 11-inch match. **Sixth Floor**

Slippers, \$2.40

2-strap Slippers with turn soles; size 2 to 4 in. B, C, D and E widths. **Second Floor**

ants, 10c to \$1.50

of short lengths ranging from 12 to 27 inches; including narrow edges and 27 inch flouncings. **Main Floor**

Kerchiefs, Dozen, \$1

kerchiefs of pure linen, nicely hemmed with 4-inch hems. **Main Floor**

Tubing, Yard, 38c

finishing Tubing, 42 inches wide; very fine at this special price. **Third Floor**

Sponge, Yard, \$1.69

all-wool Sponge, 54 inches wide, street shades. **Third Floor**

ress Trunks, \$14.50

Shir Trunks with round edges; and fitted with skirt trays. **Sixth Floor**

ette, Yard, 49c

undergarments; 26 inches wide, in peach. Seconds of 50c grade. **Third Floor**

Casseroles, \$2.25

transparent-glass Casseroles with elegant designs; various sizes. **Fifth Floor**

4.50 Bloomers, \$3.19

plain colored glove silk, well re-black, brown, taupe and navy, in. **Third Floor**

ghams, Yard, 29c

checks in these Gingham, which wash to entire satisfaction; 22. **Third Floor**

Friday Offering of

minster Rugs

\$39.75 9x12-Ft. Size

minster Rugs in new patterns and colors and tan. They are closely woven and service. All are 9x12 feet, 100 lbs. Be one of the first to choose. **Fifth Floor**

inch Axminster Rugs

variety of colors and designs; hearth rug for small spaces. **\$6.85** **Fifth Floor**

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February Sales

Special Day Will Your Visit Doubly Worth While Tomorrow

Largest Distributors of Merchandise
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Black lace shoes with invisible eyelets
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Trunkcases, \$1.75
Leather cases with strong straps
and catches; 24-inch size. **Sixth Floor**

Embroideries, Yard, 10c
Edgings and semi-founcings up
to 24 inches wide. **Main Floor**

Sewing Machines, \$55
Singer, 5-drawer, drop-
down, 44 round bobbin; guaranteed. **Sixth Floor**

Poplin, Yard, 29c
White poplin, 27 inches wide, is de-
signed in middle, etc. **Third Floor**

Buffet Sets, \$6
White painted buffet sets with fruit bowl
and flower design, and two 11-inch
plates. **Sixth Floor**

Slippers, \$2.40
White, 2-strap slippers with turn soles;
very soft. **Second Floor**

Blankets, 10c to \$1.50
A variety of short lengths ranging from
4 to 27 inches. **Main Floor**

Kerchiefs, Dozen, \$1
White, 12-inch square, nicely hem-
med with 4-inch hems. **Main Floor**

Tubing, Yard, 38c
White tubing, 42 inches wide; very
soft. **Third Floor**

Sponge, Yard, \$1.69
White, all-wool sponge, 54 inches wide,
in 12-inch squares. **Third Floor**

Trunks, \$14.50
Leather trunks with round edges;
very soft. **Sixth Floor**

Undies, Yard, 49c
White, 2-strap undies, 36 inches wide, in
12-inch squares. **Third Floor**

Casseroles, \$2.25
White, 2-quart size, with
handles. **Fifth Floor**

Bloomers, \$3.19
White, 2-strap bloomers, 36 inches wide,
in 12-inch squares. **Third Floor**

Ginghams, Yard, 29c
White, 2-strap ginghams, which
wash to entire satisfaction; 32
inches wide. **Third Floor**

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For Friday—A February Sales Offering of

Men's Suits

Originally \$35 and \$40

\$26

Choice of More Than 500 Medium and Light Weight
Suits of All-Wool Fabrics—Standard Makes

This opportunity to select good quality Suits at a big saving should impel many men to supply their immediate and Spring needs from this special group. The difference between the original prices and the sale price is well worth saving—and you have choice of all sorts of patterns and styles in medium and light weight Suits of medium and dark colorings.

Every Suit in the Lot an Exceptional Value—Choice
of Any at \$26, Beginning at 9 A. M. Tomorrow

Second Floor



Friday—Our Value-Giving February Sale of

Aluminum Ware

—Well-Known Brands at Extreme Savings

A remarkable purchase of Mirro, Wear-Ever, American and other well-known Aluminumware brings this opportunity—an opportunity by which thrifty home-makers should profit at once, since some lots are limited.

\$1.95 Double Boilers
Viko Aluminum Double Boilers, 2-quart size, Colonial pattern; cover fits both vessels. **\$1.19**

95c Saucepans
5-quart lipped Saucepans of pure aluminum, with strongly riveted handles. **60c**

\$1.25 Stewpans
Pure aluminum, 5-quart Stewpans with covers, lips and strongly riveted handles. **65c**

\$1.25 Saucepans
Covered, Colonial pattern Saucepans, 4-quart size. Special. **79c**

48c Sink Strainers
Aluminum, triangular-shaped Sink Strainers which fit into corner of sink; good size. **33c**

\$1.50 Frying Pans
Made of heavy sheet aluminum, nine inches in diameter; double-lipped style with riveted handles. Each. **89c**

Teakettles
5-quart, heavy sheet-aluminum Teakettles with wire-coil handles. **\$1.75** grade, subject to slight dents. **\$1.00**

\$1.25 Percolators
Aluminum, Colonial pattern, 1½-quart Coffee Percolators with removable filter cups and glass tops. Each. **85c**

Percolators
\$1.75 Value at **99c**

Double Boilers
\$2.50 Value at **\$1.64**

Alum. Tablespoons
Imported, good grade, regulation-size Spoons in sets of 6, at the set. **25c**

\$2.20 Covered Kettles
6-qt. Mirro aluminum, convex-covered Kettles. Only 100 in the lot, at each. **\$1.44**

\$1.25 Covered Kettles
6 and 8 qt. size, made of heavy sheet aluminum with covers, strong wire balls and wood grips. Each. **75c**

\$1.10 Colanders
11½ inches in diameter, with pierced body of heavy aluminum and strong side handles. Each. **79c**

\$1.25 Dishpans
Round, aluminum Dishpans with heavy rolled edges and riveted side handles; 19, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100. Each. **83c**

\$1.25 Teakettles
Aluminum 3½-quart Teakettles with high polished finish, strong spout and heavy wire ball with wood grip. Each. **83c**

\$1.50 Spice Sets
Heavy aluminum, 5-piece sets consisting of four Spice Jars and aluminum Rack. Set. **\$1**

\$1.50 Covered Kettles
6-quart, convex-covered Kettles with strong balls and wood grips; Colonial pattern. Each. **\$1**

One-Day Offering of Aladdin Ware

\$4.60 5-quart Aluminum Teakettles, \$2.80
\$1.20 12-cup Aluminum Muffin Pans, 80c
95c 9-cup Aluminum Muffin Pans, 60c
90c 12-cup Aluminum Biscuit Pans, 50c
\$1 2½-qt. Aluminum Lipped Saucepans, 70c

All Other Aladdin Pieces
—Including all the most wanted items
—offered tomorrow at a discount **1/3**

Basement Gallery

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\$2.50 Umbrellas

Men's and women's cotton taffeta 26 and 28 inch Umbrellas on strong frames; women's with ring or side-strap handles—Friday Special for **\$1.95** Main Floor

Choice Remnants

Silk and wool Remnants in usable lengths—left from our own stocks and of the most popular weaves. Included are Remnants of black fabrics, as well as wanted colorings—Friday at **1/4** Third Floor

Basement Economy Store

You Will Be Mightily Well Pleased With These

Sports Coats for Spring

Priced **\$13.95** at.....



Friday shoppers who contemplate the purchase of a new Spring Wrap cannot afford to overlook this group of garments. There are jaunty models designed specially for misses and women, in a wide range of new and correct styles. In plain tan and reindeer, and various new plaids.

Polair is the material of which all these Coats are made. It is a soft fabric that is not only handsome but very serviceable.

Basement Economy Store

Special Friday Canton Crepe

\$2.25 Value, Yard

\$1.59

Silk-mixed Canton Crepe, 46 inches wide, in a broad assortment of the season's most popular shades. Proper weight for Spring clothes.

\$2.25 Serge

All-wool Serge, 54 inches wide, in dark navy blue only. A very desirable fabric for Spring capes, coats, etc. Yard. **\$1.39**

\$1.98 Taffeta

Good quality silk Taffeta, 66 inches wide, in jet black, a favorite fabric for Spring dresses. Yard. **\$1.29**

Basement Economy Store

Men, Save Tomorrow on

Heavy Work Shirts

\$1.39 Value, 79c



Durable Amoskeag twill cloth is used in making these Work Shirts that are cut extra full. All have non-shrinkable neckbands, two button-down pockets and attached collars. Sizes 14½ to 17, in khaki, gray, blue or tan.

Men's 50c Ties

Neat striped percale ties in a wide variety of patterns and colors, also cut 7 to 10 years. **27c**

Basement Economy Store

Boys' 79c Waists

Neat striped percale waists in a wide variety of patterns and colors, also cut 7 to 10 years. **49c**

Basement Economy Store

Women's Wool Sweaters

\$2.95 to \$3.95 Values

\$1.95

Novelty slipover wool Sweaters, with fiber silk striped bottoms; also open-front Tuxedo Sweaters, with self sashes and pockets. Sizes 36 to 44. **Basement Economy Store**

Women's Hose

Seconds of 69c Grade

33c

Semi-fashions silk-and-wool Hose with lace tops and reinforced feet; black, white and colors.

Men's Wool Hose

Heavy or medium weight Wool Hose with double heels and toes. Seconds of the 38c to 44c grades. Friday at **21c**

Basement Economy Store

Men's Union Suits

\$2 to \$2.50 Grades

\$1.29

Broken lots of plain cotton and wool mixed Union Suits in the long sleeve, ankle length style.

50c to 59c Shirts

Infants' Cashmere Shirts with button fronts, taped necks and long sleeves. Sizes 2 to 6. Friday at **29c**

Basement Economy Store

February Sale of Panel Curtains

\$2.25 to \$2.50 Values, Each, \$1.59

A special lot of 500 fringed panel Curtains that are really very attractive. Of sheer voile or Marquisette, lace insertion at the bottom, finished with deep fringe.

\$1 Terry Cloth

Richly colored Terry Cloth in an extensive assortment of patterns. Remnants in usable lengths. Friday, **48c**

65c Cretonnes

Gaily colored and somber Cretonnes in a vast array of designs appropriate for draperies, cushions, etc. Special, **39c**

Yard. **39c**

Basement Economy Store

\$2.75 Curtains

Figured or plain Scotch, Nottingham and flax-weave Curtains with scalloped borders and lace edges; wanted **\$1.49**

shades. Pair. **16c**

Yard. **16c**

Basement Economy Store

25c Brown Muslin

Special at, Yd. **17c**

Unbleached Indian Head Muslin in lengths from 2 to 10 yards; 39 inches wide. Will turn white after being laundered several times.

Gabardine

All-white Gabardine Suitings, in sample lengths. An extra heavy quality; originally 50c yard. **15c**

45c Indian Head

Round thread cotton, 44 inches wide, in lengths from 1 to 10 yards. For making fancy work, etc.; yard. **25c**

Bed Sheets

Remnants of \$1.50 to \$2 grades, in sizes 12x36, 12x39 and 12x42. Limit of two to a buyer. **\$1.25**

Each

Basement Economy Store

\$1.90 Damask

All-linen full bleached Damask, 50 inches wide. The quantity is somewhat limited. Special Friday, yard. **\$1.35**

Toweling

All-linen Toweling that is highly absorbent. For making kitchen or tea towels. Special Friday, yard. **15c**

19c Wash Goods

Remnants of 27-inch White Waisting, Colored Organdies, 42-inch Tubing and 38-inch Muslin. Friday, yard. **10c**

Basement Economy Store

Worth-While Economy in Linoleum Rugs

\$13.50 \$9.75 Value

Strictly first quality Rugs, which are shown in neat Chinese design in various colorings. All have extra strong burlap backing. Size 7.6x10.6.

59c Floorcovering

Strictly first-quality Floorcovering, with felt base, in pleasing patterns; two yards wide. **39c**

\$1.15 Linoleum

Remnants of genuine linoleum, containing from 1 to 3 square yards. Special Friday, square yard. **75c**

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Bros. \$24 Chairs

\$13.75 For Friday Selling

It is possible this offering of the chairs, at such extreme savings, will be a disappointment, as the quantity is limited.

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PRICES RANGE UP IN ACTIVE TRADE ON STOCK MARKET

Steels, Coppers and Many
Industrial Favorites Rise
Point or Two—Bonds
Mainly Steady—Exchange
Higher.

By London Wire From the New York
Herald of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The Evening
Post is this copyrighted financial re-
view today.

With total sales still running in
the neighborhood of 1,000,000 shares,
the stock market showed a firmer
tone after yesterday's irregularity.
The opening was good and higher
prices prevailed throughout practical-
ly the whole session. Regularity
prevailed and many of the industrial fa-
vorites contributed gains of a point
or two, and rails were fractionally
higher. Bonds maintained a steady
tone and call money again moved up.
After starting at a 5 percent price
of the latter, it was reduced to 4
percent during the noon hour, and to 3
at the start of the last hour, but
was improved to 4 before the close.

Steering is Higher.
With London recovering its
equilibrium after the unsettling devel-
opment of the last few days, and with
European political news scanty and
characterless, a stronger tone was
subsequent in the foreign exchange
market from the start. Offerings were
moderate. Sterling was firm in Lon-
don before the opening here and then
moved up to a new high for the year
of 16.25, the net gain on the day
being 1/2 cent. French francs also
advanced, the franc being 1/2 cent
higher. Reaction to 1/2 cent, the
franc were still up 1/2 points, on the
day. Most of the other continental
currencies moved in similar fashion and Ger-
man marks continued their rally,
reaching 10 1/2.

Foreign Bank Statements.
A slight recession in the Bank of
England's reserve ratio leaves that
figure at 20 percent, the foreign ex-
change reserve at 15,000,000 in deposit li-
abilities. Circulation, in fact, is
smaller by £2,000,000. The explanation
of this exchange activity lies in the
markets borrowing from the bank in
order to finance tax payments. The in-
creasing feature in the foreign ex-
change is the fact that the Govern-
ment has been able to repay the
bank £10,000,000 francs on account
of extraordinary advances. Circu-
lation shows a decrease of 22,000,000
francs.

Foreign Exchange

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Following is a
list of the day's foreign exchange
rates: Demand, 4.85; cables, 4.85;
gold, 4.85; 30-day, 4.85; 60-day, 4.85;
90-day, 4.85; 120-day, 4.85; 150-day, 4.85;
180-day, 4.85; 210-day, 4.85; 240-day, 4.85;
270-day, 4.85; 300-day, 4.85; 330-day, 4.85;
360-day, 4.85; 390-day, 4.85; 420-day, 4.85;
450-day, 4.85; 480-day, 4.85; 510-day, 4.85;
540-day, 4.85; 570-day, 4.85; 600-day, 4.85;
630-day, 4.85; 660-day, 4.85; 690-day, 4.85;
720-day, 4.85; 750-day, 4.85; 780-day, 4.85;
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Mrs. Thomas H. Ince, wife of the famous movie producer, formerly Miss Kershaw, a St. Louis actress, will direct the wife of Wallace Reid in a film to show the menace of the drug habit. The profits from the film will be used to endow the Wallace Reid Memorial Hospital for drug addicts, at Los Angeles. Mrs. Reid is shown (on the left) with Mrs. Ince. In front, left to right, are: William Wallace Reid, Betty Reid, and Tom and Dick Ince.

—Wide World Photograph.

The oldest living graduate of Mount Holyoke Seminary, a pioneer school for girls. Mrs. Anna E. King of Miami, Fla., who celebrated her ninety-third birthday recently.

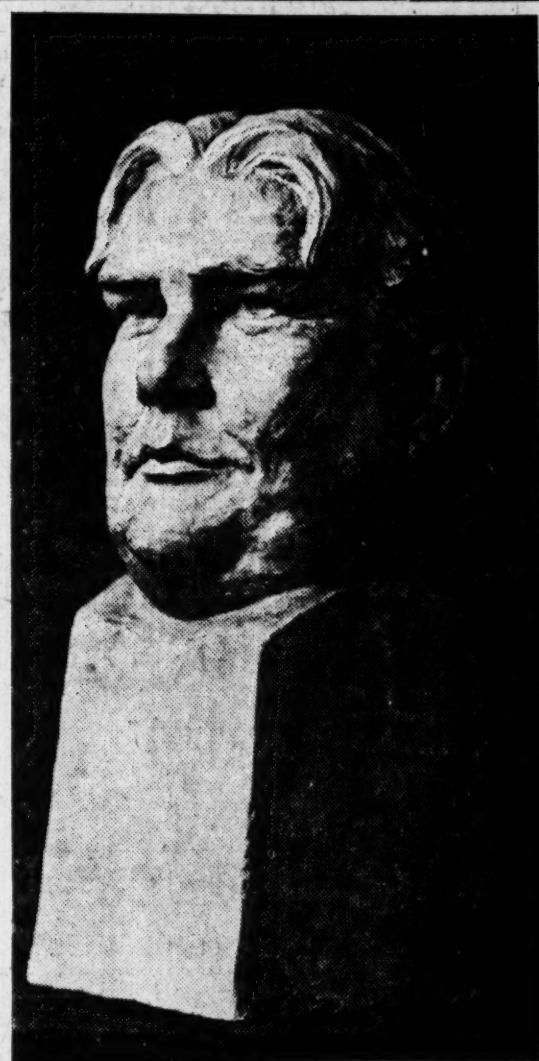
—Photograph by Paul Thompson.



Mrs. Fifi Potter Stillman, principal in a noted divorce case, has become a wholesale milliner in New York City. She is shown here going over a collection of hat models in her establishment.

—Underwood & Underwood Photograph.

Below—More and more are the ladies infringing on the fields that formerly were supposed to be reserved exclusively for the men. For the first time, a woman wins the prize in an old fiddlers' contest. She is Mrs. Pauline L. Van Garven of Mankato, Minn., who routed all rivals at a tourney arranged by the Y. M. C. A. of St. Paul.



This head of the late William Marion Reedy, the work of Mrs. Nancy Coonsman Hahn, St. Louis sculptress, will be reproduced in bronze and installed in some public place when the plans of a memorial committee are carried out.

—Photograph by Strauss.



Harold Lloyd and his bride, who was Mildred Davis, his leading woman, leaving church after their marriage at Los Angeles.

—Pacific & Atlantic Photograph.



Indian gives his millions away to keep designing persons from getting them. First, he established a trust fund to yield himself \$50,000 a year. Then he gave \$550,000 each to his wife and an Indian school. He is Jackson Barnett of Muskogee, Okla., shown here with his wife. Since this settlement the wife has gone to California, and the time of her return is reported to be problematical.

—Underwood & Underwood Photograph.

Mrs. James F. Byrnes of Aiken, S. C., wife of Representative Byrnes, who has been elected president of the Women's Congressional Club, to succeed Mrs. Joseph F. Frelinghuysen, wife of Senator Frelinghuysen, who was defeated for re-election last fall. The club is composed of the wives of Senators and Representatives.

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THE GIRL IN THE CORNER APARTMENT

By MAY CHRISTIE

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XXXIII.—A SONG OF PROMISE.

THE CHARACTERS.
CYNTHIA BRENT, country girl, living in a New York apartment, she has inherited from an old lady'ske and befriended.
RUBY ALLISON, her gay and frivolous friend.
ALICE KERR, Ruby's fiancée.
QUENTIN GRAY, an artist friend of Ruby's.
AUNT ELLEN, who keeps house for Cynthia.
MURRAY STEWART, for whom Cynthia is working as a stenographer.
MRS. WAKELAND, friend and rich client of Stewart's, who takes a fancy to Cynthia.
VIOLET JERROLD, friend of Murray's.

TODAY'S INSTALLMENT.

CYNTHIA sat in the big bay window of her corner apartment on a sunny afternoon. She had a half-holiday from the office, because Murray Stewart, her employer, had gone north on business and had told her to go home.

He had made this announcement with a smile so charming and so "interested" in her welfare and her health, that Cynthia's heart had glowed.

Yes, he was kind and thoughtful.

He had praised her work, too.

"You're the best secretary I've ever had," Miss Brent. The office is a different place since you've arrived." The words were simple, but it seemed to the young girl as though they held a deeper meaning.

"I'll expect to see you at half past nine tomorrow morning."

He had shaken hands with her in his quick, cheerful way, and had gone.

Cynthia had proceeded home by bus.

She had climbed up to the roof, and found a front seat which was comfortable, and from which she could obtain a glorious view of the crowded city streets.

Cynthia was thrilled to be in this center of the world's workers, and felt as though she had her fingers on the very pulse of life.

It was half past two o'clock when she got home. The little apartment was cool and shady after the heat of the noisy city.

Aunt Ellen had gone out. Looking at the shop windows was a hobby with that good lady which never palled. She had had so much of the country in her simple life that town seemed like fairyland to her, and she couldn't possibly get too much of it.

Cynthia took off her hat and coat and gloves, and went into the sitting room. She lifted the three high windows up from the bottom, so that the early summer air might fill the apartment.

The window-boxes were her particular delight. They had been empty when she first took possession of the little apartment, but a day or two ago she had risen very early and had gone shopping for flowers and had bought pots of handsome red geraniums.

She had been extravagant. She had spent \$7, also the price of a taxi home to convey her purchases. But her own satisfaction and Aunt Ellen's exclamations of delight had been sufficient reward for the outlay.

Both understood the art of gardening. As tenderly as though the plants were new-born infants, they had transferred them—mould and all—to the green window-boxes of the big bay window in the sitting room.

The result was lovely. Through a delicate tracery of green leaves, dotted with a blaze of scarlet, they could watch the passers-by and traffic unobserved.

"It's like a little piece of the country brought to town," Aunt Ellen had ecstatically exclaimed, clapping her thin hands.

Today, as Cynthia flung up the window shades, she gazed into the green and scarlet depths as though

they were an enchanted forest land. A street musician came along. Two of them, in fact. One played a mandolin and the other sang. The man took up a position on the pavement immediately underneath her windows—which were six feet above the level of the street—and broke into the intriguing strains of the old Irish melody: "Eileen Alannah."

The beauty of it brought tears to Cynthia's eyes. Her heart winged on the melody of it away to a northern train which was carrying Murray Stewart off.

She clung to the throbbing words, with their promise: "Soon I'll return to the colleen I adore!"

Eileen Alannah, Eileen Asthore! Love! That was the greatest thing in life. Of course it was! And it was coming to her. Yes. On "his" return, in some way, he would let her know.

But he had let her know already, in all the thousand-and-one unspoken ways that men in love employ! The softening of his voice—the look in his attractive eyes—his manner—his very kindly interest in her—all these things had told the girl the old, old tale.

Oh! She was lucky—lucky of all people!

Other girls went through life with—yes!—admirers and suitors, but never met a man who roused real emotion in them. These poor souls, if they married, did it "for convenience," or for self-interest, or because their parents and friends desired the connection, or because they were terrified to become "old maids."

But fate had ordained a different lot for Cynthia Brent. She had met her ideal man, and recognized him as such. They had been definitely and wonderfully thrown together. Her "chance" had come. She wouldn't miss it, as so many did. The exquisite tenor voice was still throbbing out its ardent song of love. It was a song of hope, and yet there was a haunting melancholy in it that is peculiar to all Celtic ballads.

And to Cynthia's mind came the realization that there is no love without pain.

"To love is to suffer," says the old French proverb.

"Well, if it came, she would meet suffering gladly, for "his" sake. Real love dwells in the stars, and it cannot fall to earth without bruising itself.

"It is women who have the instinct of perfect love," she said aloud, softly. And then she added, dreamily, and with a curiously fast look on her pale, pretty young face: "Let none dare to love who fears to suffer."

TOMORROW—BEHIND THE GERANIUMS.

Card-File Cook Books

Applying Factory Methods to the Home.

By MRS. CHRISTINE FRIDRICK, Household Expert, Author "Household Engineering." (Copyright, 1922.)

IN many factories the workers are supplied with what are known as "instruction cards." On these are set down the exact steps, the exact tools and other information which will enable the operator to do that



special piece of work in the best possible manner. There are many places in the household where such "instruction cards" could be of great value. How, for example, Mrs. Jones, do you like your rooms cleaned and what tools are used? Even though you may change maids weekly, would you not like to be able to hand the incoming worker the same directions followed by the former maid? Without some such plan, every change in the domestic menage becomes a serious upheaval.

Possibly the application of the "instruction card" nowhere else is so helpful as in the kitchen. What dishes does the family like; how are they made? Here is the chance to apply the "instruction card" idea to the family cook book! In every household there are special ways of making each favorite and common dish. Instead of leaving these recipes to guess, to be changed by each new worker, set down the exact recipe on a set of filing cards (which may be bought in the convenient 6x4-inch size for but a few cents).

Arrange these cards alphabetically, by preferred subject, as breads, cake, dessert, fruit, etc. Each card should be arranged in two parts, viz: "Materials Required" and "Method." Each should also cover these points:

1. Approximate cost.
2. Time required to prepare.
3. Time to cook.
4. Number of persons served.

What a helpful "reliable record" in the household such cards would instantly afford! This instead of beginning the pineapple cream blindly, expecting it to take only a few moments, and also thinking it inexpensive, such a record would instantly reveal the facts that though simple, it costs \$1.50 for materials and requires about 40 minutes of whipping and freezing to achieve it. Even the facts of the exact pan or utensil to be used can be added to such recipe cards with good results. This cake, for instance, makes a nice single layer, but if put in a mold tin will seem small and unsatisfactory in appearance. This relative recipe makes six small custard cups, or that dessert a serving for six, and so on.

These cards may be located in a wooden or cardboard box such as stationers sell for from 50 cents to about \$2 and the whole box kept over the kitchen or preparing table. Here is a sample "specimen recipe" to show the idea:

TOMATO HAMBIT.

- Materials.
- 1 can tomato soup.
 - 1 cup grated soft cheese.
 - 1 cup thick white sauce.
 - 2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce.
 - salt, pepper.
 - 6 large pilot crackers.

Method.

Make white sauce, blend with tomato soup and heat in double boiler. Add seasonings, then grated cheese. Pour at once over toasted crackers as light supper dish.

Cooking time, 15 minutes; preparing time, 5 minutes. Serves six; costs 20 cents.

HEROINES OF HISTORY

By MARK STUYVESANT

How Mary Ann Evans Became Famous as "George Eliot."

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IN the middle of the last century all of England was agog over the novel "Amos Barton," "Adam Bede," "The Mill on the Floss," and others.

They were published under the name of George Eliot. The literary world was guessing who the author was. The publisher himself believed his brilliant writer was a man, and addressed all communications to "Dear George." But Dickens maintained it was a woman by whose pen these masterpieces were written.

And Mary Ann Evans' identity might have remained long a secret had it not been for an unscrupulous minister, who announced that "he was the gifted writer, and even went so far as to receive at entertainments given in his honor.

It was then that Miss Evans announced her authorship. Brought up in England in a family of comfortable means, Mary Ann had every opportunity of education. When she was 27 she translated Strauss' "Life of Christ," and was delighted to receive \$100 for her work.

She had no ambition to do any thing save this drab work. She did not realize she had the ability. When asked to be assistant editor of the "Westminster Review," it was with delight that she accepted.

But here someone entered her life who not only filled her heart with love, but stimulated her mind and taught her ambition. With his advice and encouragement she wrote

"Amos Barton." It was an immediate success.

The man who was responsible for her adventure into romance and fiction was the hero of her own romance—George Henry Lewes, a prominent editor and literary critic.

They loved each other deeply and sincerely. Lewes was married, but had not lived with his wife for many years. It was impossible for him to secure a divorce.

It was this obstacle of the law, which they considered unjust, that caused George Eliot and George Henry Lewes to consider the unlawful union in which they lived as sacred as marriage.

In this manner they lived for 24 years with such dignity and loyalty to each other that their Sunday afternoon receptions became the most charming in London.

George Henry Lewes was the inspiration of George Eliot's books. If it had not been for the encouragement which he gave her we might never have had the privilege of reading "Middlemarch" and "Daniel Deronda."

In 1878 Mr. Lewes died. It was a great surprise to everyone when George Eliot, a few years later, married a Mr. Cross. When she was married she gave her name as "Mary Ann Evans Lewes."

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6. Don't nag.
7. Don't ask mother to live with you.
8. Don't leave your husband lying around.
9. Don't be dragged and unduly.
10. Be good to your children—but don't forget your husband.

HUSBANDS' DECALOGUE

1. Be generous, according to your means.
2. Don't interfere, inside the home.
3. Be cheerful.
4. Be considerate.
5. Make love to your wife.
6. Do not scold.
7. Keep your family at a distance.
8. Do not keep a lodger.
9. Cultivate neatness and personal cleanliness.
10. Be kind to your children.

MARGUERITE MOORE'S MARSHALL

IF a decalogue for husbands, why not a decalogue for wives? That's what I thought when I read the New York Legal Aid Society's ten commandments for husbands, which have just been made public and which, in summarized form, are printed with this article. It is of course, exceedingly chivalrous of the society to assume that men are pre-eminently in need of a Moses of matrimony, who shall lay down new tables of domestic law. Every woman, I am sure, would be happier if her husband followed the 10 points of the law as outlined.

But would the homes necessarily be more happy and peaceful? Doesn't it take two to make a home, as well as to make a quarrel? Aren't there 10 commandments which might be framed for wives, 10 rules for getting along with one's husband and making him happy?

I knew one woman in New York qualified by experience, by intelligence and by sympathy to draw up such a decalogue. So I went straight to her—my old friend, Miss Rose McQuade, probation officer and domestic peacemaker at the Family Court, ever since it began its career, a dozen years ago, under the name of the Court of Domestic Relations. She has patched up thousands of broken homes in this city, and reconciled thousands of hostile husbands and wives. Nobody is better fitted to express what we might call the viewpoint of Mrs. Moore, and I finally persuaded Miss McQuade to balance the 10 commandments for married men with 10 for married women.

"The happiness of the home," she began, "is surely as much dependent on the wife as on the husband. The woman enlists our sympathies, of course, because hers is the burden of home-making and baby-tending. But her responsibility for the success of the marriage is at least fifty-fifty."

"The first commandment for the husband you've shown me bids him to be generous, according to his means. It is at least as important that the wife should be economical according to her husband's means. Most of the good husbands with limited incomes turn over to their wives their unopened pay envelope—nothing could be more generous than that. How important, therefore, for the wife to spend wisely and unselfishly. Don't be extravagant—that warning belongs in her decalogue."

"For the second commandment, let's suggest that the wife should not interfere with her husband in matters outside the home. If he allows her to rule there, it's equally important that she shouldn't try to run his office or his personal affairs for him."

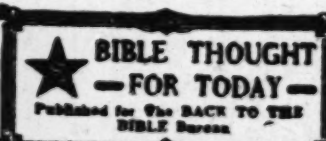
"Always meet your husband with a smile when he comes home at night. Remember that if you are tired, so is he, and don't work off on him your headaches and nerves and irritations with others. That's the third commandment."

"For the fourth commandment I should say this: Show your husband your appreciation by managing your home properly. Don't run your kitchen by absent treatment. Give him good, wholesome food and a clean, comfortable house. If you do not do all your own work, at least see that it is properly done."

"Mrs. Winifred M. Huck, Congresswoman from Illinois, holds the unique distinction of being the only woman ever to sit in the Speaker's chair in the House of Representatives, after having recently presided over Congress with the gavel in her hand."

"Neatness and personal cleanliness on the wife's part are at least as essential to home happiness as these qualities in a husband. Don't wear faded, old finery around the house—or cold cream to the breakfast table. Don't be dragged and dirty and untidy—that's the ninth commandment."

"And for the tenth," finished Miss McQuade, "I would say, 'Be good to your children—but don't sacrifice your husband to them all the time.' It's the exceptional woman who isn't a devoted mother, but she should remember that her husband has his rights, as well as her babies."



NOT MEAT AND DRINK—

For the kingdom of God is not meat and drink, but righteousness, and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost.—Rom. 14:17.



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SUGAR PIE

COOK one pint of water with cup of maple sugar and teaspoon of butter until syrupy. Add two tablespoons of flour which has been mixed to a smooth paste with cold water, two well-beaten eggs and one-fourth teaspoon salt. Cook until thick and flavor with one teaspoonful vanilla extract. Pour into baked crust and bake in hot oven for five minutes, or until firm. When serving heap extended whipped cream on each portion.

Cabbage and Apple Salad

ONE-HALF small head cabbage, three large apples, nut meats. Thousand Island dressing. Shred cabbage, crisp in cold water, and drain. Peel apples, reserving thin strips of red skin for garnish. Quarter and core apples, and divide each quarter into very thin strips. Mix apple with cabbage, add salad dressing and toss lightly until well mixed. Garnish with strips of apple and chopped nut meats or steamed whole wheat.

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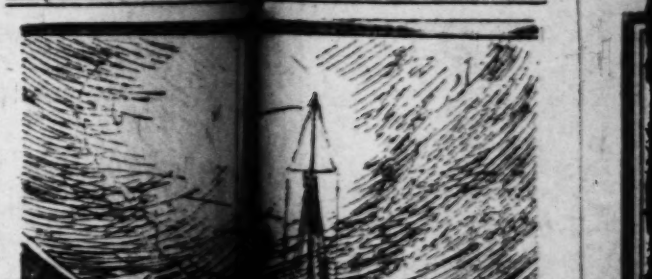
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BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES

The Piggishness of Sammy Jay

By Thornton W. Burgess

Selfishness may be so greedy
It takes from those who are most needy.
—Old Mother Nature

ON the feeding shelf which he had fastened to a window sill of his house, Farmer Brown's boy had put some raw peanuts. At first he put out just a few to see if any of his feathered friends would eat them. He didn't have long to wait to find out. Yank Yank the Nuthatch was the first to discover them. He promptly seized one and away he flew with it over to a tree in the Old Orchard. There he wedged it in a crotch, and then with his sharp bill opened it and eagerly ate the nut meats.

Sammy Jay, whose sharp eyes miss little that is going on, saw Yank Yank fly from that shelf and watched him open that peanut. He saw how much Yank Yank enjoyed what he had found.

"That was a queer thing Yank Yank had," said Sammy. "I wonder what it was. I must find out about that. Yes, sir, I must find out about that."

He waited until Yank Yank flew back to the window shelf for another peanut. Then Sammy hurried over to the crotch in the apple tree where Yank Yank had opened the first peanut. Of course all he found were pieces of shell. He picked up one to see if it was good to eat, but promptly decided it wasn't. "Yank Yank pecked at that thing as if he were opening it," thought Sammy. "These pieces of queer, dry stuff must be pieces of the covering. There must have been something good inside. I think I'll visit that shelf myself."

So Sammy flew over where he could look down on that feeding shelf. He had never been on that shelf because he had found plenty to eat on the shelves in the Old Orchard. It didn't take two seconds for those sharp eyes of his to see that on that shelf were some things which he had never seen on any of the other shelves. He looked sharply all about to make sure that nobody was watching him. Then he flew down on the shelf and sharply eyed those peanuts.

"I don't know what they are," muttered Sammy, "but I'm going to find out. If they are good for Yank Yank they probably are just as good for me." He picked up one of those peanuts, and then, holding it firmly in his claws on the edge of the shelf, he hammered at it with his stout bill. Now a peanut shell is not very hard, and it didn't take Sammy long to open that pea-



While he was opening and eating it he saw Yank Yank fly down for another.

was good! It is a long time since I have tasted anything as good as that. I must have another."

So Sammy picked up another and flew over to an apple tree to eat it. While he was opening and eating it

Fashion New Notes

PARIS.—The erstwhile humble flannel is all the vogue for Riviera day costumes. This presages a vogue of flannel for spring. Many of the Riviera flannel suits are in a delicate pastel shade, the coats lined with the softest velvet.

LONDON.—Long, straight lines are compulsory for spring, according to designers here. The tailor a woman looks the better. It is likely that street suits will have rather long skirts and rather short coats, a style which adds all the length possible to a slim figure.

PARIS.—A single roseette, of enormous size, is the sole trimming on one of the chic little hats which Parisiennes are affecting just now. The roseette is placed at the left of the back. It is composed of stiff ribbon in two shades, with a cabochon in the middle.

he saw Yank Yank fly down for another. At once Sammy became piggish. Yes, sir, he did so. "There are not very many of those things over on that shelf," muttered Sammy, "and I must make sure of my share." He hastily swallowed the nut meat he had and flew over to get another. Instead of stopping to open and eat this one he hid it in a tree in the Old Orchard and hurried back to get another one. Back and forth as fast as he could fly Sammy Jay flew, each time taking away a peanut and hiding it, until there was only one left. Yank Yank flew down for that one, but Sammy saw him and flew over there as fast as his wings could take him. "That's mine!" he shrieked. And because he was so very much bigger Yank Yank flew off without the peanut.

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The God of Gold

BY SOPHIE ERENE LOEB.

YOUTH prayed to his God
To give him more strength
With which to dig, dig, dig for shining shekles.
And the God of Gold looked on and smiled.

"Ah, yes, I will give you of my treasure.
"But you must spend, spend, spend of yourself.
"For I give nothing without return.
"I demand interest.
"I want your mouth, your body, your soul."
"All, all will I give," he cried.
"For then I will be master
"And can do what I will,
"For I will have the 'open sesame' to all things
"And nothing can be denied me."
"For the world had taught him
"That gold gets everything.
"Came the day when Love looked at him with longing
"And held out her arms.
"But he gently waived her away, saying:
"Soon, soon I will come for you.
"For the God of Gold had kept my pact with the God of Gold."

So youth fled, and in turn came rich manhood.
His coffers fairly filled.
He thrilled with joy at the sight,
For gold begets gold.
And he saw the dawn of his dreams.
But young manhood moved into middle age.
And with it gray hair—yet the glittering measure over-full.
And he went forth to buy, buy, buy
All that he had hoped.
And it was easy—very easy.
"And now I have time for love and can pay any figure."
And he did pay—a king's ransom.
For her who promised all and gave nothing.
She, too, had bartered beauty and youth
For the God of Gold.
He cried aloud, "Love, where art thou?
"You have passed me by—come back!"
No answer came.
He searched high and low
And learned but one thing:
That the God of Gold can buy everything
But True Love—
For which there is no price
And which dwells in the hovel of the pauper
As well as the palace of the peer.

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He curses the inventor of
The festive valentine.

When on his weary round he starts
His trusty leather sack
Is loaded up with Cupid's darts.
That seem to pierce his back.

He scarcely has recovered from
The trying holidays.
When old Dan Cupid comes along
And sings his musing lays.

And as that pesky little cuss
Pursues his crafty plan.
The weary letter carrier thus
Apostrophizes Dan.

"The rose is red, the violet blue.
And all that sort of truck;
If you loved me as I love you,
We'd both be out of luck."

And when we hear the joy-bells chime
And eke the wedding march.
The carrier will take out time
To mend his broken arch.

TOUGH LUCK.

Even when other folks are away
On their vacations, the postman
Works harder than ever delivering
The "wish you were here" post cards.

When the mercury begins hitting
Around 94 the postman wishes they
Would say it with flowers or by
radio.

THE BUCK.

The National League owners
passed the Ruben Benton case on to
John Heydler, who passed it on to
Judge Landis, who will probably
pass it on to posterity.

The Braves have signed a semi-
pro infielder named Cobb. He's said
to swing a mean weeping willow.

ALTHOUGH his name may rhyme
with Cobb,
It's not a lead-pipe cinch
That with the Braves a steady job
Young Mr. Cobb will clinch.

A LONG JOURNEY.

Hearing that the railroads would
resume the sale of 1000-mile tickets,
Jack Dillon has decided to buy a
book and try to come back.

"Rocky Kansas Makes Monkey of
Chas. White."
And thereby hangs a tale.

It is said that a well-known ticket
agency has first call on all the
choice seats for Madison Square box-
ing shows. Indicating that the scal-
per is one bird who is a little bit too
strong for Bill Muldoon.

As long as there are sports of
any kind there will be scalpers and
gamblers to be stamped out.

And if there is any class of people
that thrive on being stamped out, it
is those selfsame scalpers and gam-
blers.

NOT IMPOSSIBLE



"How does it happen, Harry, we never step on each other's feet?"

MY FAVORITE STORIES By IRVIN S. COBB.

THE LICK THAT WAS THE VICTORY.

THERE was a Scotchman who had a wife and she had strong views
upon the subject of strong drink. It is possible her views were colored
by the fact that her husband was of convivial habits. Also, he had
unlimited respect for the power of her tongue and the weight of her strong
right arm.

One night he came home late and badly befuddled. He managed to get
inside the house without awakening her, but, in order to reach his own
sleeping quarters, it was necessary for him to pass through her room.

On its threshold he had an inspiration. He got down on his hands and
knees and started to crawl across the intervening floor space. But when
he was just alongside of her bed he chanced to brush against the coverlet
and the lady was aroused.

In the darkness, mistaking the dark bulk that was in arm's reach of her
for the family house dog, she said: "Come, Jocko, Jocko!"

"Whereupon, at that varra moment," said the husband next day when
recounting the event to a cronie, "I had the rare intelligence to lick her
hand."

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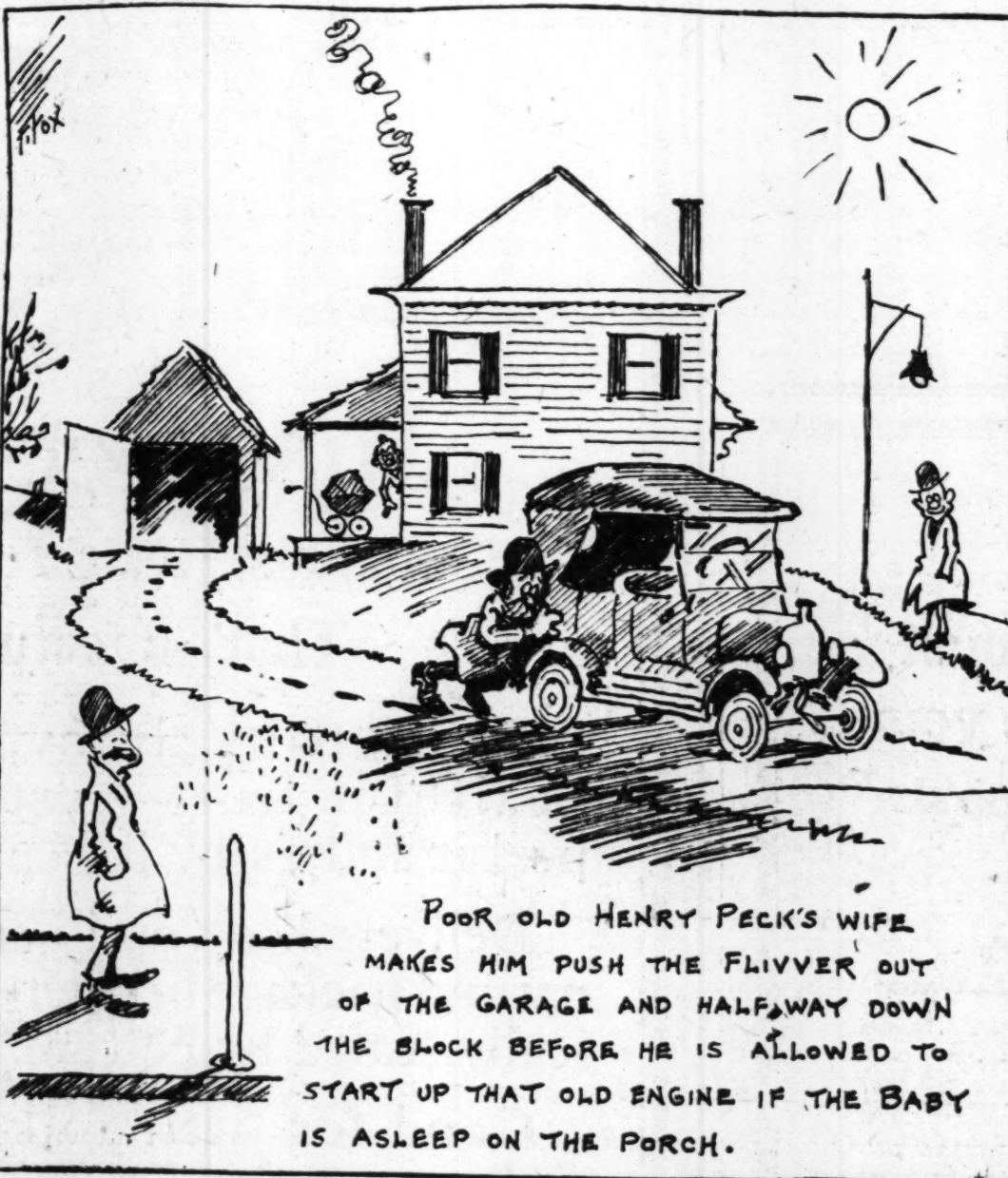
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"TOO MANY COOKS"—By RUBE GOLDBERG



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POOR OLD HENRY PECK'S WIFE
MAKES HIM PUSH THE FLIVVER OUT
OF THE GARAGE AND HALF-WAY DOWN
THE BLOCK BEFORE HE IS ALLOWED TO
START UP THAT OLD ENGINE IF THE BABY
IS ASLEEP ON THE PORCH.

METROPOLITAN MOVIES—By GENE CARR



The "hooky player"—When are they goin' to take my finger prints?"

MUTT AND JEFF—THE OLD DEAR ISN'T SO SICK AFTER ALL—By BUD FISHER

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LITHUANIAN FORCES CLASH WITH POLES IN VILNA ZONE

Both Sides Suffer Losses
Wounded When Advance
of Polish Troops Into Neu-
tral Zone Along the Fron-
tier Is Resisted by Irregu-
lar.

AREA AWARDED BY ALLIES TO POLAND

Bridge Blown Up and Ra-
road Tracks Destroyed
French Parliament Voted
\$24,000,000 Loan
Poland.

By the Associated Press.
WARSAW, Feb. 15.—Clashes
between Polish troops and Lithuanian
irregulars have occurred at sev-
eral places during the occupation of
neutral zone (along the front
near Vilna) allotted to Poland
by the Council of the League of
Nations.

Twelve Polish soldiers
wounded, while the Lithuanians
suffered several wounded on the field
before they were forced to retreat. No
loss of life is reported.

The greater part of the south
area and an important section of
center zone given to Poland is
under Polish administration.
Lithuanians are still resisting
occupation of the remainder of
area.

Lithuanian frontier guards
blown up a bridge near Wloctaw
destroyed the railroad tracks
near Orany.

\$24,000,000 LOAN VOTED BY FRENCH FOR AID OF POLAND

By the Associated Press.
PARIS, Feb. 15.—A loan of
200,000 francs (\$24,000,000) to
Poland was voted by the French
parliament yesterday. It is de-
scribed as "for the purpose of
providing Poland's financial and
economic situation, so that it may
assume its proper place in the
European concert of nations and play
a role to which its geographical
situation and history entitle it."

The vote on the measure
was 415 to 68. Many of those who
voted against it declared that the
loan was destined ostensibly for the
organization of the Polish army
against "unwarranted attacks of
the east" was really put through
as a means of coercion against
Lithuania.

Purposes of Loan.
The report of M. Reynald, re-
porter for the Foreign Affairs Com-
mission, of which former Premier
Clemenceau is president, says the loan
is destined to balance Poland's
expenditures, such as those for
railroads, telegraphs, telephone
and other public utility services.
Next item, however, says that
loan is for the purpose of nat-
ional defense, to be decided upon
mutual arrangements between
two Governments of France and
Poland, in accordance with the
provisions of the French and Polish
armistice military staffs.

Opposition to the measure in
Parliament was based on the al-
legation that the danger of an attack
from the east now was
latent and thus the money was
advanced for military purposes
longer defensive, but in reality
offensive.

During the debate in the
Chamber, Poincaré said: "I
stated many times that as soon
as our creditors remitted our debt
we would not hesitate to cancel
amounts due us."
Deputy Koutet retorted: "We
country has not sufficient money
to pay its own debts it should not
even to its friends."
Socialists' Argument.
The Socialists argued that the
loan had changed since the
Government agreed to the prin-
ciple of a loan. It was then that
the German conference, and the
moment desired to strengthen
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